THE WEATHER
The indications are that it will be fair tonight and also on Wednesday. There probably will be light variable winds.

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NO RACE SUICIDE

Lowell Shows Most Commendable Vital Conditions

Annual Report for 1903 Shows Over 600 More Births Than Deaths—Ward Seven the Banner Ward for Births — Year's Record of Births, Marriages and Deaths

If there are any persons in Lowell who are fearful lest the growing evil of race suicide may have gotten root in this city let them read the city clerk's annual report of the births, marriages and deaths for 1903, which shows the gratifying fact that the births in the past year outnumbered the deaths by over 600, while there are other interesting features to it.

Here is the report:

Wards	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	Not given	Tot'l
Whole number	157	271	229	250	274	298	563	239	230	7	2514
Males	68	139	122	124	139	153	303	128	117	4	1297
Females	89	132	107	126	135	145	256	111	113	3	1217

American parents, 455; foreign parents, 1531; American father and foreign mother, 261; foreign father and American mother, 243; parents' nationality unknown, 24. Twins—ward one, 3; two, 3; three, 3; four, 2; five, 2; six, 3; seven, 6; eight, 4; nine, 2. Total, 28. Still-births, not included above, 124. Increase over 1902—18.

The number of intentions of marriages issued in 1903 was 1011, or 59 less than in 1902.

The number of marriages recorded was 1026, being 49 less than in 1902. The number of marriages solemnized in Lowell was 935; solemnized elsewhere, 91. The greatest number of marriages solemnized in any one month occurred in June, 131, and the smallest number, 51, in May.

The nationality of the contracting parties is as follows:

	Grooms.	Brides.
United States	463	423
Canada	219	237
Ireland	93	108
England	57	69
British Provinces	45	36
Scotland	13	18
Austria	27	30
Norway and Sweden	12	10
Portugal and Western Islands	20	22
Greece	32	33
Russia and Poland	20	18
Other Countries	21	12
Unknown	2	..

The oldest couple married: Groom 66, bride, 67. The youngest couple married, groom 17, bride 17. Oldest person, 87; youngest person, 16; Grooms under 21 years of age, 57. Brides under 18 years, 26.

The total number of deaths returned in the city clerk's office for the year 1903 was 1939; of these 42 were residents of Lowell who died elsewhere, making the number of deaths returned and recorded as having occurred in Lowell exclusive of still births, 1897, a decrease from 1902 of 47. Males, 933; females, 964; persons between 80 and 90 years, 73; persons over 90 years, 14.

THE LIQUOR SQUAD

Is Not to be Entirely Broken Up

ONE OR MORE OF THE MEMBERS

Will Continue to Hunt Speak Easies

JUDGE HADLEY WOULD LIKE STATISTICS

Showing the Liquor Importations for a License Year

One or more of the liquor squad officers will continue as liquor officers until such time as the speak-easies have been crushed out.

Supt. Moffatt refused to state today what disposition would be made of the officers of the liquor squad now that the license year has been ushered in. "Will they go back to their beats?" asked The Sun reporter.

"I am not prepared to answer that question," replied Mr. Moffatt. "It would not be for the best interest of the department to say what disposition will be made of the liquor squad officers."

"Will the affair be attended to at the meeting of the police board tonight?"

"It might be, but I hardly think so."

"Will a permanent liquor inspector be retained?"

"Yes, until such time as the speak-easies have been done away with."

"Will more than one of the liquor officers be retained in his present position?"

"I must refuse to answer that question. I am not prepared to answer it at this time."

JUDGE HADLEY'S VERSION.

Judge Hadley said: "Why not continue Officer McCloughrey in his labor of furnishing statistics of liquor importations into the city, and see how the amount imported in a no-license year compares with a license year. The friends of no-license have as much claim upon his services during the coming year as the enemies of no-license have had in the past year. 'Fair play is a jewel.' 'Always carry the dish straight.'"

The papers that have so diligently set forth the importations of liquors into Lowell during the no-license year will or should strain a point to continue the work during the license year. A comparison of the importations at the end of the year would be interesting to say the least. Judge Hadley's suggestion is a good one.

SISTER BENARDINE

FORMERLY LOCATED IN LOWELL, IS DEAD.

The sister superior at St. Mary's convent, Cambridgeport, died Sunday afternoon of pneumonia. In religion she was known as Sister Ann Bernardine of Notre Dame. She was a Belgian woman and had been located in Philadelphia, Lowell and Boston before coming to St. Mary's 15 years ago.

Mr. Albion Goldthwaite, foreman of the Massachusetts repair shop, has resigned his position. He and Mrs. Goldthwaite have gone to Los Angeles Cal., where they will reside.

Little Miss Mary Alice Kay, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Kay of 809 Lawrence street, observed her 9th birthday anniversary at the home of her parents, Monday, in a pleasant manner.

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RUSSIAN ALARM

Knows No Bounds as Result of the Recent Defeat

The Losses Heavier Than at First Reported — Claim That Retreat Was Planned is Puerile

ST. PETERSBURG, May 3, 2.25 p.m.—The silence of the authorities here regarding the later details of the fighting on the Yalu river is interpreted ominously and there is a consequent prevalence of all sorts of irresponsible rumors regarding the magnitude of the Russian losses, some figures going as high as 3000. These manifestly are gross exaggerations.

The absence of official information is explained by the general staff by the fact that a few Japanese have succeeded in getting in the rear of the Russian position and cutting the wires between Taisancheng and Feng Wang Cheng.

Heavy losses are admitted, but they are not believed to exceed a few hundred men and some guns. The latter, while protecting the retreat of the Russian forces from Antung to Kiulencheng, had to be abandoned owing to the loss of the horses. The breach locks however were carried away, so the guns will be of no service to the enemy.

According to the latest information, Gen Zassalitch is retiring in good order along the main road and the Japanese are not following him. Details are expected so soon as Gen. Zassalich is again in communication.

There is no confirmation of the reports that Gen. Zassalitch or Gen. Kashtalinsky is wounded.

In the meantime the public remains in the dark and is the prey of idle rumors. The war bulletin boards are bare and not a single press despatch has come through from the front. The figures of the Russian losses given from Japanese sources in the despatches from abroad are carefully eliminated by the censors. Until Gen. Zassalitch's official advices arrive the general staff is inclined to believe that Zassalitch who was under orders to withdraw after impeding the progress of the enemy as much as possible, allowed the fight to mature beyond his intentions, being compelled to sustain heavy losses along the Litzavena river in order to extricate the retreating columns from Antung and Kiulencheng. The fighting at Chingow was exceedingly severe and stubborn. The Japanese took up a position on both flanks after Chingow had been shelled and came to close quarters, some desperate hand to hand work being reported, many of the Russian soldiers in the fever of combat refusing to retire at the command of their officers.

According to the general staff only about 9000 Russians were actually engaged at Kiulencheng and along the Litzavena were two regiments of Siberian riflemen of 3000 men each.

General Mischenko (commander of the Eastern Cossack brigade) had 1500 Cossacks protecting the Russian right flank lower down the Yalu and also a brigade of artillery, four batteries of eight guns each. Gen. Kartsoff with 1500 Cossacks was higher up the Yalu guarding the road at Tuslikhe, which leads direct to Mukden in order to prevent the column of the enemy using this for the purpose of outflanking the position at Feng Wang Cheng.

LONDON PLEASED OVER JAPS' VICTORY

LONDON, May 3—The latest despatches received here confirming the completeness of the Japanese victory on the Yalu could hardly have given greater satisfaction in Tokio than they have in London. The editorials in the morning papers ring with admiration at the success of Gen. Kuroki's strategy in a manner indicating that Great Britain had been in considerable doubt as to the capacity of her ally's troops when matched against the Russians and, despite the lack by Japan of good cavalry to follow up her victory, it is believed she will speedily drive the Russians out of Feng Huan Cheng also.

Few further details have yet been received, but it seems that the Japanese imperial guards fought with conspicuous bravery and sustained the brunt of the fighting, losing heavily. Some accounts speak of bayonet charges.

It is evident that the Japanese success is largely due to the superiority of their artillery, the Russian guns being too light.

The Japanese victory has caused complete surprise in the European capitals, and is expected to lead to difficulties to Russia trying to raise a loan.

Unconfirmed reports of severe fighting between 3,000 Russians and a similar number of Japanese at Gen San are sent by the Standard's St. Petersburg correspondent, who says the Japanese were compelled to retire into Gen San, both sides losing heavily. Two Russian officers are said to have been among the wounded.

The Standard's Tien Tsin correspondent cabling under date of May 2, states that Viceroy Alexieff has sent a lengthy despatch to General Ma, commanding the Chinese troops, informing him that the occasion may arise for Russia to increase her forces in Sin Min Tung, Cheng Yang, and other places, and requesting him to withdraw the Chinese military and police. An answer, the correspondent says, is required within three days.

As an indication of Gen. Kuropatkin's anxiety regarding the whereabouts of Japan's second army, the Morning Post's Shanghai correspondent says that all the Russian troops stationed in Chang Chu, Fu Chau, Hai Cheng Kai Ping, and other places have been despatched along the seacoast to watch for a Japanese landing.

According to the Shau Hai Kwan correspondent of the Daily Telegraph, evidence is accumulating that China's neutrality is tottering. The Tartar generals in Kirin and Feng Tien, the correspondent says, are urging the Pekin government to adopt a strong policy against Russian aggression west of the Liao river. It is alleged that Viceroy Yuan Shai Kai is secretly making war preparations and everything. In the opinion of the correspondent, points toward China making a military demonstration against either belligerent fighting west of the Liao river.

A special despatch from Port Arthur says that about 100 Chinese junks were observed on the horizon yesterday between the mouth of the Yalu and the Liao Tung peninsula.

ABSENCE OF NEWS CAUSES WILD RUMORS

ST. PETERSBURG, May 3.—3.40 a.m.—The interest of the public in the news of the fighting on the Yalu is at fever heat, especially since the last official report, which announced the fighting at Chin-Gow, was given out. To the general disappointment, no further telegrams from Gen. Kuropatkin have been published by the war commission, nor will the censor pass press despatches wired from the front.

The absence of news led to the circulation of wild rumors. For instance it was reported that Gen. Sassulitch would be relieved of his command and court-martialed for making a too strenuous stand on the right bank of the Yalu.

As a matter of fact, while the war office is surprised at the resistance made by Gen. Sassulitch, a telegram from Gen. Kuropatkin to the emperor on April 26 announced that Sassulitch, in view of the preparations which the Japanese were making to cross the Yalu, had begun to re-inforce his troops on the Manchurian bank.

Another report says that the war office has been informed that the Russian casualties numbered 2000. Should this be true, it can be accepted as a certainty that the Russian plan of operations never contemplated such a sacrifice.

In view of the cautious advance of the Japanese, it is not expected that they will quickly follow up Sassulitch, but will take a few days in getting the remainder of their troops and supplies across the river and in clearing the country of Russian detachments in order that their communications may not be exposed to attacks.

FIERCE BATTLE IS IMMINENT

PARIS, May 3.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Echo de Paris in a despatch published this morning says that a high officer of the general staff made the following statement to him:

"Gen. Kuropatkin has telegraphed the emperor expressing satisfaction that the Japanese have crossed the Yalu because this lengthens their line of operations, whereas the Russians are approaching their base.

"Gen. Kuropatkin will probably allow Gen. Kuroki's twenty thousand men to advance and attempt the siege of Port Arthur, but Generals Smyrnoff and Stoessel are disposing of the 35,000 men under their command so as not to allow the Japanese to reach that place.

"It is supposed that a battle for the defence of the entrance to the Kwan Tung peninsula is imminent."

GEN. KUROPATKIN ON THE MARCH

ROME, May 3.—According to despatches received here Gen. Kuropatkin is on the march from Liaoyang to Feng Wang Cheng with 20,000 troops.

JAPANESE BONDS MADE BIG JUMP

LONDON, May 3.—Japanese bonds were marked up 1 1-4 on the stock exchange today on the Japanese successes while Russians were 3-4 down.

RUSSIAN FORCES ORDERED BACK

ST. PETERSBURG, May 3—Noon.—The emperor has received an official despatch from Gen. Kuropatkin, forwarding a despatch from Gen. Sassalitch, commanding the Russian forces which have been engaged with the Japanese advance from the Yalu. It is dated at noon, Sunday, and describes how he ordered the Russian forces at Antung and Kullencheng to fall back along the main road toward Feng Wang Cheng.

This movement was protected from the threatened flank attack by men and guns stationed at Potjetinsky (one mile north of Kullencheng) and Chingow villages on the Litzavena river. Here the fighting was protracted and severe. The Russians lost artillery and horses, being obliged to abandon, according to the text, "a few guns." Gen. Sassalitch says:

"Although we were unable to hold our positions here we inflicted heavy losses on the enemy."

DEATHS

TWOMEY—Mary Twomey, aged 61 years, wife of the late Dennis, died this morning at her late home, 566 Market street. She was an old and highly esteemed member of St. Patrick's parish.

WANT UNION LABEL

Journeymen Bakers Want it on Every Loaf

The chances are that the strike of the journeymen bakers in Boston will not take root in Lowell and this city is not likely to be affected to any great degree. It was stated yesterday that there would be a meeting of the local journeymen bakers last evening but they will not meet until Saturday evening and action if any relative to the strike will then be taken. It is believed that a proposition will be presented to the master bakers and it is further believed that the main condition will be that the union label shall be used. This stipulation is the one most objectionable to the master bakers. Much interest centres in the meeting to be held Saturday evening.

The local union is entirely distinct from the Boston organization. Both organizations, however, are affiliated with the International union. The fact that a good many of the journeymen bakers employed here are members of the Boston union is not looked upon as favorable to the master bakers of Lowell.

MAN ASPHYXIATED

Deaf Mute McCarthy Found in a Cellar

While trying to gain an entrance to Morris' boarding house at 95-97 John street, early this morning, John McCarthy, about 40 years of age, a deaf and dumb man, who has been boarding at that place for several weeks past, broke the gas main in the cellar and was asphyxiated, while the occupants of the house had a narrow escape from being overcome. Every one in the house was more or less affected by the escaping gas, but with four or five exceptions all were able to resume their duties this morning. McCarthys body was discovered by Mrs. J. J. Morris, who conducts the house, and while life was not extinct when the unfortunate man was discovered he was unconscious and died soon after. The body was removed to the funeral parlors of Undertaker Charles H. Molloy in Market street.

McCarthy had resided at Carney's boarding house in Market street until recently when he secured a room at Morris' boarding house in John street, and as he was out of work he was going to do some work around the house and whitewash the different rooms. He spent the greater part of yesterday outside the house and had been drinking some. When it came time to close the house last night McCarthy did not put in an appearance and after sitting up for some time after the usual hour, Mrs. Morris retired, feeling confident that if he came around later she would hear him and let him in.

From what passersby saw it is evident that McCarthy tried to get into the house about one o'clock this morning and that he tried all the doors and found them locked. Noticing one of the cellar windows in the front of the house open he must have crawled through it into the cellar. The main gas pipe is directly below this window and he either fell after getting through the window and struck the pipe or else he stepped on it and was overcome by the escaping gas.

The force of his body striking the pipe bent it and the pipe was broken in several places allowing large quantities of gas to escape which found its way through the house.

About ten minutes past four this morning Mrs. Morris awoke and found her room full of gas. Thinking that she might have forgot to turn off the gas or that it might have accidentally been turned on, she tried the gas cocks in her room and finding that they were turned off, went through a portion of the house and found no gas escaping anywhere, but every room seemed to be filled with gas.

She finally decided that it was sewer gas and went back to bed again, but was unable to sleep and shortly after 4.30 o'clock made a more thorough investigation of the building. After going through the upper portion of the house, she went down to the cellar door, and was almost overcome by the odor of gas. Wetting her apron, she put it to her face and made her way to the gas meter which she felt confident must be out of order and intended shutting off the gas. When she reached the front portion of the cellar she saw that the main pipe was badly bent and that the gas was escaping in large quantities. On turning around she also encountered the body of the McCarthy man, who was lying on his back with his hands crossed over his breast.

She ran up stairs and opening the front door, saw a police officer further up the street and attracting his attention told him of the body in the cellar. The officer with the assistance of several of the men in the house took out the cellar windows and brought the man into the yard in the rear. Life was not quite extinct and while the ambulance was summoned the men worked over McCarthy trying to revive him.

When the ambulance doctor arrived he pronounced the man dead and the body was taken to the funeral parlors of Undertaker Molloy.

Everyone in the house was affected more or less by the gas. Some of the occupants managed to overcome the stupor so as to go to work. Michael McMahon and John Clayton were badly overcome by the gas and required medical treatment. Mrs. Morris' ten year old daughter was seized with vomiting spells when she awoke and another child five years of age was also badly affected, but all are out of danger.

McCarthy was a wool sorter by trade and had been employed at the Middlesex mills, but work in his line has been slack for some time and of late he had been doing odd jobs about the house.

SERIOUSLY HURT

Peter Corcoran, living in Middlesex street, met with a very serious accident on the South Common this afternoon.

He had a percussion cap in his pocket and in handling it the cap exploded, injuring him seriously.

He was removed to the Emergency hospital.

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IN POLICE COURT

Two Spotter Cases Were Continued

DOCK FULL OF DRUNKEN OFFENDERS

Many of the Old Timers Were Sent Away

Two of the so called spotter cases, James Carson and Thomas Sheehy, defendants, premises as described in the complaint, in Central street near the Opera house were scheduled for today and were continued to Thursday. D. J. Donahue appeared for the defendants. The spotters were not in police court.

BEGINNING SO SOON.

"Beginning so soon," said Judge Hadley as he scanned the sea of faces in the police court dock today. It was an old time aggregation and it spoke, plainer than words could speak, the difference between license and no-license. Four and five drunken offenders was about the average for the no-license year, and it is safe to predict that the average for the year dating from yesterday will more than double that.

Twenty-five was the total number of drunks in police court today. Two were out on bail and there was one woman in the lot. Three were released, 7 were fined $2 each and the others, all drunken offenders, were disposed of as follows: John H. Lynch, workhouse, 3 months; Mary A. Linnehan, workhouse, six months; Cornelius F. Sullivan, workhouse, one month; John F. Leary, state farm; John E. Quinn, workhouse, six months; Charles McCann, state farm; Charles F. Howard, jail, three months. John McGinley, Michael Dillon, Thomas Thompson, Thomas J. Moore, Edward F. Sheehan, Edward Dallaire, and Ethelbert E. Joy were fined $6 each.

SUSPICIOUS FIRES

MR. CASEY IS NOW INVESTIGATING THEM.

Fire Marshal's Aid Casey, of Haverhill, arrived in Lowell this morning, and with Chief Hosmer, of the fire department, made a tour of the city looking over the scenes of recent fires. Considerable time was spent in the investigation of the recent fires in the Silverblatt block in Broadway.

WAS REMOVED

POSTMASTER AT THREE RIVERS QUITS OFFICE.

PALMER, Mass., May 3.—Edward F. Shaw, postmaster at Three Rivers, has been removed on complaint of Inspector Birdseye of the postal department. Whatever trouble, if any, has been found in the accounts has been adjusted by bondsmen for Mr. Shaw. The former postmaster was appointed during the first McKinley administration. He is a well-known business man of Three Rivers, having conducted a general store there since 1881.

FUNERALS

MOLLOY—The funeral of Mary E. Molloy took place yesterday afternoon at 2 p. m. from the home of her parents, Bernard and Margaret, 182 Wilder street. It was very largely attended by many sorrowing friends. There were many beautiful floral offerings. The bearers were Messrs. Charles Raymond, Thomas Ball, John Lynch, John McCluskey. The interment was in the Catholic cemetery. Rev. F. Walsh read the burial services at the grave. Funeral Director John J. O'Connell & Co. had charge of the funeral arrangements.

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ASSESSORS' WORK

Opened Full Blast With Month of May

Principal and Assistants Started to Work This Morning—Interesting Work of the Assistants—Novel Method of Finding New Property Adopted by the Principal Assessors

This is the day of the one-hoss shay when the principal assessors go on their way.

The one-horse shay is a movable institution owned jointly by the three principal assessors, Messrs. Wheeler, Mahoney and Abbott, and used to great advantage during these days of travel through every street in the city of Lowell. It consists of a horse, a carryall of the vintage of '76 and the necessary harness and other paraphernalia. The three assessors use the carriage to take them on their tours annually when they go about looking up new real estate to assess, that the city may never be short of an income.

Some people believe that the assessors do no work and that their office is a sort of sleepers' gallery, but whatever it may be at any other time of the year it will certainly be a busy place from now on for a few months, for the assistant assessors were sent out on their season's work this morning, while the principals have been at work for a week or more, though the storm seriously interfered with them.

The assistant assessors who started to work this morning were Richard Charlton, who looks after the Highlands; William J. McCluskey, who will take in the Flats; Charles Riley, who tours Belvidere; Thomas F. Garvey, who will traverse the high and low lands of Centralville; Michael Bourdon, who will discuss the subject in French, and Ed. Abbott, who does the down-town work. The work of the assistant assessors is important and interesting and it is no snap. They start out with a book containing a list of all the property on the different streets in their district and this book before they take it has been made up to date by the clerks in the assessor's office. That is to say, the book which contains the name of the party who owned the property May 1 last year also contains the names of the present owner in cases where property has changed hands within a year, for the clerks during the early spring go over the list of transfers at the office of the registrar of deeds and thus have the record book up to date for the assistant when he starts out. This book not only contains the name of the owner, but a description of the property, and the first thing for the assessor to do upon visiting a place to see what the book calls for and then observe if the property is as described in the book and note any changes, for all changes must be reported to the principal assessor, who alone fixes the valuation of real estate. For instance the property visited may have been a cottage house last year, but has since been changed into a two-tenement house.

The assistant must note this fact and report it. Perhaps since last year the owner has added a barn. The assistant then not only reports back the fact that an additional building has been erected but must find who owns the horses kept in the barn, how many of them are thus kept, and as they are personal property must himself assess the owner for them. Perhaps the assistant sees a peculiar shaped little house not unlike a carriage shed where last year there was no such building. Instinct tells him to look for an automobile, and looking he finds one in the little building. He then inquires the identity of the owner of the auto and what kin dof a machine it is and he assesses the owner accordingly. He may find a cow barn, dog kennel, or a hen house, and these and their contents are taxable. He may see a bicycle pump in the yard and then he knows that some one has a bicycle about and that is taxable, or he may find that any of these things were there last year but are there no longer and the erstwhile owner is entitled to credit therefor.

Finally he enters the house and asks how many men are living in the house, their names, occupation and where they lived a year ago. Oftentimes they find it very difficult to get this information and in many cases have to call more than once. The lady of the house may not be in, or if in may not care to give out the desired information until the men are around and hence the assessor is supposed to get around again when the men are at home. In the case of regular boarding houses the assistant assessor carries a blank sheet with him which the boarding master is compelled to fill out for him.

With all their information thus gleaned they return to the office and proceed to assess those they have visited for their poll taxes and their taxes on personal property, such as horses, carriages, autos, bicycles, cows, etc. The dogs are not taxed, being licensed, but from the assessor's list the city clerk gets knowledge of the number of dogs in town and has little difficulty in locating those who fail to pay the license fees on their dogs. The conscientious assessor makes a personal visit to each place and gets all the information above referred, and of course all of Lowell's assistant assessors are conscientious, but cases have been known where the assistants sometimes "duck" some of their visits and fill out their reports at home, in which case the city sometimes loses tax money due it.

The principal assessors look after the valuatio nof real estate and they have a novel way of finding out just what new building has been done during the year. As is well known there is an ordinance which requires builders to get a permit from the superintendent of public buildings before proceeding with any new building in this city, but it is only lately that the builders have paid any attention to this ordinance, and even now it is not lived up to by one half of the builders of the city.

The principal assessors get a list of all the permits granted during the year for a starter, but they do not stop with this. They then go to the water department office and get a list of every application for a new water service made during the year and that is the way they fool the tax dodgers, for while the owner of a building may get it up without attracting the attention of the superintendent of buildings he cannot make it fit for use until he gets water in it, and he cannot get water until he applies to the water department, and there is where he is rounded up. But there are exceptions to even this rule as in the case on the outskirts of the city where the owner sinks a well and does not use city water.

This fellow doesn't escape, for the wily assessors make a special trip in their one-horse shay around the outskirts of Lowell until they have completely covered the districts and then after having taken these precautions they make a general tour that includes every street in the city. As a result, there hasn't been a house missed in history, while the water department record has proved practically infallible.

For the next month or so the assessors, both principal and assistants, will be the busiest men in Lowell, therefore be prepared for their coming and have the necessary information ready for them when they call.

SKETCHES AT THE OPENING OF THE SALOONS.

CATHOLIC NOTES

High mass at St. Patrick's church was sung at 11 o'clock yesterday by Rev. Fr. McHugh, and the sermon on the gospel of the day was preached by Rev. Fr. Walsh. At the offertory Miss Ethel Ranger rendered a beautiful "Ave Maria." The annual May devotions will be held every evening during the month of May. Last year these devotions at St. Patrick's were particularly attractive, special attention being given to the musical programs and drew large congregations from all parts of the city. While the services will be held in the basement this year every effort will be made to make them as attractive as last year. All arrangements are about complete for the grand bazaar which is soon to open in Associate hall in aid of St. Patrick's church.

ST. PETER'S CHURCH.

Rev. Michael Ronan returned Saturday from Washington where he attended the presentation of a bust of Archbishop Williams to the Catholic university. High mass was sung yesterday by Rev. Fr. McDermod and the sermon on the gospel of the day was preached by Rev. Fr. Mullin. The first anniversary of the dedication of the church will take place next Sunday and will be observed by solemn high mass at 10.30 o'clock and the choir will render a special musical program. A two weeks' mission to be preached by the Redemptorist Fathers will be held during the month and May devotions will be held every evening.

The sacrament of confirmation will be administered on Tuesday, June 21, and classes for first communion and confirmation will be started at once.

ST. MICHAEL'S CHURCH.

High mass was sung yesterday by Rev. Fr. Carney and the sermon was preached by Rev. Fr. Murphy on the subject, "Mary." The Forty Hours Devotion will take place Friday and end on Sunday next. May devotions will be held every evening during the month.

HOLY NAME SOCIETY ORGANIZED

St. Mary's church, Collinsville, was the scene of a highly interesting and religious ceremony last evening. It was the opening of the beautiful practice of the May devotions in honor of the Blessed Virgin, and also marked an epoch in the religious life of the village—by the foundation of a branch of the Holy Name society for men. The following officers of the society were installed for the ensuing year: President, Charles E. McCarthy; vice-president, John Marley; treasurer, Charles Rouhan; secretary, Jeremiah Sullivan; consultors, Michael Whelton, Frank Brick, and Patrick Coleman. Rev. Francis J. Mullin, of St. Michael's church is the spiritual director of the society.

The ceremonies were opened by the spiritual director with an appropriate service of the Holy Name, after which Rev. John J. Shaw, the pastor, began the beautiful ritual for the foundation of a branch of the society and the reception of its first members. Judging by the number of men who received the badge of the Holy Name society from Fr. Shaw there are few men in Collinsville whose names are not on the membership rolls. After the ceremony Rev. Fr. Shaw delivered a highly instructive sermon on the Holy Name of Jesus, taking for his text: "And this day shall be for a memorial to you; and you shall keep it a feast to the Lord in your generation with an everlasting observance."

The preacher prefaced his sermon by remarking the importance of the occasion. He said that it was to be the beginning of a new religious life among the men.

The burden of his sermon was on the God-given name of Jesus. In language most eloquent he developed the fact that while the names of great men have moved their fellows to deeds of heroism, their name was a power only when the memory of them lived in men's minds. But the name of Jesus from the day it was given by the angel ha sbeen the most powerful of names. He who bore it fulfilled its meaning, "Saviour," thereby impressing it indelibly on the hearts of men. The preacher showed how respect and reverence for that name has made it a source of consolation from the day when a child learns to lisp it at a mother's knee until the last moments, in the hour of death when the true follower of Christ pronounces it, invoking its power to tide over the perilous strait of death. The preacher concluded with a very strong denunciation of the practice of blasphemy. Urging the newly enrolled members of the Holy Name society to live up to this their principal duty of honoring the Holy Name, he bade them go forth and be apostles of pure language. He called on them not to be content with mere external honor of the Holy Name but to incorporate into their lives all that that "Name" stands for—the principles of sound Catholic manhood.

The evening's ceremony was concluded by the singing of hymns in honor of the Blessed Virgin and benediction of the Blessed Sacrament by Rev. John J. Shaw. To one who is accustomed to the large church of the city, it was certainly a religious treat to witness this ceremony in surroundings where the very simplicity made it most beautiful. The personal fervor of the singing on such an occasion impressed the observer with a deeply religious fervor.

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION.

At the Immaculate Conception church yesterday morning, under the new regulations, all the masses were celebrated in the upper church. Rev. Fr. Smith preached at the 10.30 o'clock mass. The May devotions were held in the evening, a large congregation being present.

SACRED HEART CHURCH.

Rev. Fr. Flynn, O. M. I., celebrated high mass at the Sacred Heart church yesterday and an eloquent sermon on the gospel of the day was preached by Rev. Fr. Fletcher, O. M. I. In the evening vespers were sung by Rev. Fr. Fletcher and the beads recited by Rev. Fr. Reynolds, O. M. I. May devotions will be held every evening during the month.

PATRIOT'S SWORD

That of Capt. Crowley in Memorial Hall

The sword of Capt. Timothy A. Crowley of Co. A, 30th regiment, who died in New Orleans, Oct. 5, 1862, and who had been previously color bearer in the Sixth regiment during its memorable march through Baltimore, has been presented to Mayor Howe by the relatives of the deceased and will henceforth be kept in Memorial hall with Lowell's fast increasing collection of Civil war mementoes.

Capt. Crowley was one of the earliest heroes of the civil war. Of his experience with the Sixth regiment in Baltimore Chaplain Babbidge of the Sixth regiment wrote:

"Sergt. Crowley and his color guards Marland and Stickney, were the target for many a missile, for the mob knew that to disgrace the regiment it was only necessary to down with the standard. Paving stones flew thick and fast, some just grazing their heads and some hitting hte standard itself. One stone, as large as a hat, struck Marland between the shoulders a terrible blow, then rested on his knapsack, but he did not budge.

"Sergt. Crowley was a very popular man in the 6th regiment. July 16, 1861, Col. Jones' daughter, who had been chosen 'Daughter of the Regiment,' was presented a handsome uniform. The presentation speech was made by Sergt. Crowley and Miss Jones appropriately responded."

At the time of Captain Crowley's death General Butler wrote a most touching letter to Mayor Hosford.

CAPT. CROWLEY'S CAREER.

Capt. Timothy A. Crowley was born in Lowell, Feb. 14, 1831. He was educated in the common schools of this city and learned the trade of machinist in the Lowell machine shop. He was deputy marshal of the Lowell police department in 1858. In his leisure time he studied law.

When the 30th Mass. regiment was formed he was tendered a commission as captain of Co. A. He died of intermittent fever in New Orleans, Oct. 5, 1862. In New Orleans at the funeral service Co. B of the 30th regiment acted as escort, and the pallbearers were captains of the 9th Conn. regiment stationed in New Orleans.

Capt. Crowley left a wife and two children. His wife died soon after the civil war, and his son some years later. His daughter, who was for some years a public school teacher here, is married and her home is in Whitman, Mass.

FOURTH OF JULY

Order For Celebration Will be Presented

IN THE COMMON COUNCIL TUESDAY EVENING

It Provides for an Appropriation of $3000

At tomorrow evening's meeting of the common council, Councilman Samuel Fleming will introduce a joint order for an appropriation of $3000 for a Fourth of July celebration under the direction of the mayor and a special committee of seven members of the city council.

Speaking of the order with The Sun reporter, Councilman Fleming said: "I suppose there will be opposition to the order but a city that cannot afford to spend $3000 for a celebration on the nation's birthday is poor in patriotism as well as in finance. As a business proposition the city of Lowell can ill afford to let the day pass without a celebration for the public look for a celebration on that day and if they can't get it at home they go abroad and when they go they spend their money.

On the other hand a celebration here will bring thousands into Lowell and few of these visitors come with empty pockets. Three thousand dollars judiciously spent on a Fourth of July celebration will be money well spent and I hope that the members of both branches will vote favorably upon my order."

PARALYTIC SHOCK.

John Ingleshy, who has been in the employ of Auctioneer Charles F. Keyes for the past few days, while driving one of Mr. Keyes' carriages this morning was seized with a paralytic shock and was found in the bottom of the carriage.

He was removed to the Emergency hospital where he received medical attendance.

OFFICERS ELECTED

POSTAL CLERKS ELECT OFFICERS.

At the regular meeting of Branch 37, U. N. A. P. C., the following officers were elected: President, John J. Murphy; secretary, John L. Barns; treasurer, James H. Reede.

The report of the delegates of the state convention held at Worcester, April 19th, was read, showing the association to be in a flourishing condition.

LYNN MATHEWS

Accept Invitation of the Mathew Institute

President George L. Hunt of the Mathew Temperance Institute with ex-President John A. McKenna and John J. Lonergan went to Lynn yesterday and formally extended to the Fr. Mathew T. A. society of that city an invitation to become the guests of the local institute at a grand outing to be held on Memorial Day, May 30th. The Lowell men met with a very cordial reception at the hands of their Lynn brethren. President Hunt, in his official capacity as head of the local society, extended the invitation with a fine speech, referring to the spirit of brotherly love which has prevailed in the ranks of the Lowell and Lynn Mathews. He expressed the pleasure the local society feels in tendering the invitation and said the day would be a memorable one in the history of each society. Messrs. McKenna and Lonergan followed, and each spoke eloquently of the proposed reception and the motive which actuated the local society.

President Minton of the Lynn society, in responding expressed the gratitude of the Lynn society and praised the Mathews of Lowell for their progressive spirit. He accepted the invitation on behalf of his society, and felt that the members would await with anxious hearts the 30th of May. After the meeting the Lowell men were taken in hand by a committee from the Lynn society and it is safe to say that their stay in Lynn was made enjoyable.

The proposed outing and reception will be held at Mountain Rock grove, with dancing in one of the local halls in the evening. The preparations for the event are being made now and neither time nor money is being spared to make the event a success.

UNITED IRISH LEAGUE

BIG MEETING ADDRESSED BY EDWARD FITZWILLIAM OF BOSTON.

There was a large and enthusiastic meeting of the Irish league at Jackson hall last evening, at which considerable business was transacted. Chairman Lyons announced that it had been decided to run a sociable in Hibernian hall on May 19, and that a business meeting of importance would be held in Shattuck hall next Sunday evening.

The speaker of the evening was Edward Fitzwilliam, a former resident of Lowell, but now of Boston, and known as the Irish poet. He was introduced in complimentary terms by the chairman, and in opening his address gave reminiscences of his youthful experience in Ireland as far back as 1840. He told of the difficulties of obtaining an education as at that time the school master was outlawed. Then too, it was a crime to use the Irish language. He told some harrowing tales of the famine scenes of 1847, described the exodus from Ireland in that and the following year. He asserted that although the people were dying by thousands of famine the country produced enough to support the entire population, but the crops were sold to satisfy the claims of the landlords.

He dwelt upon the founding of the land league by Michael Davitt. In this connection he read a very beautiful poem entitled "Michael Davitt's Soliloquy in Portland Prison." It set forth in a poetic manner the spread of the new ideas against the iniquity of landlordism spread throughout Ireland by the Land League, and pointed to the final result, the overthrow of landlordism, the possession of the land by the people and the coming of a new era of prosperity in which Ireland would make laws for herself in a parliament of her own.

The speaker sang several patriotic songs of his own composition and elicited great applause from the audience. He also read several of his poems. At the close of his address he was tendered a rising vote of thanks and assured that although many of his former friends in Lowell had passed away, he had made friends of all who had heard his recitations. Mr. Fitzwilliam was greeted by many old Lowell friends after the meeting.

CUT HIS LEG

MAN INJURED IN BEAVER BROOK MILLS.

Thomas W. Powers, residing in Collinsville, while at work at the Beaver Brook mills today, met with a painful injury. He was repairing a loom when a piece of steel flew out striking his right eyelid causing a laceration about ¾ of an inch in length.

He was taken to the Emergency hospital where three stitches were taken in the wound.

SEWER DEPARTMENT

RESUMES WORK ON FOUR NEW JOBS.

Today's fine weather made glad the hearts of the sewer men whose work was shut down last week after it had begun on account of the storm. The indications are now good for a long run of work and there is plenty to be done. The department is at work today in four gangs on the Riverside, Axon, Westford and Short street sewers.

The street department is not very busy, but is cleaning up the commons after its winter's dumping so that Supt. Whittet may start on his spring work at once.

DAVIS FUND

FINANCE COMMITTEE WILL DECIDE UPON ITS INVESTMENT ON WEDNESDAY.

The city solicitor and city treasurer will meet with the committee on finance and the library trustees on Wednesday afternoon relative to the investment of the Davis fund recently left to the library by the late John Davis.

STRUCK ON HEAD

MAN WAS HIT WITH A BOTTLE.

Jeremiah Linnehan, residing at 45 Keene street, was struck in the head with a bottle at a local liquor saloon today and was taken to the Emergency hospital where a number of stitches were taken to close the wound.

NOT MARRIED

HARRY LIBERTY AND MISS McMASTER VISITED FRIENDS.

A report was circulated that Harry A. Liberty and Miss Cora McMaster, who tried to get marriage licenses in Haverhill, Mass., and Dover, N. H., had been married Saturday at Rochester, N. H., but the prospective groom denies saying that he and Miss McMaster were visiting some of the latter's relatives at that place. They intend to get married very soon however.

LAYING A SWITCH

BOSTON CARS DO NOT RUN TO DRACUT CENTRE.

The construction gang of the local division of the B. & N. street railway is placing a switch at North Billerica and owing to this the Boston cars run into the square and back to Boston instead of going to Dracut Centre. The Dracut Centre car is running to the square and back again. This change is but for today.

DEATHS

BOURTUS—Peter Bourtus, aged 22 years, died Saturday at the city hospital in Worcester. The remains were brought to this city by Undertaker C. H. Molloy and removed to his funeral parlors in Market street.

Services were held this afternoon at the Greek Orthodox church in Lewis street and the interment was in the Edson cemetery under the direction of Undertaker Charles H. Molloy.

NONPAREIL CLUB.

The regular meeting of the Nonpareil club was held yesterday afternoon with a large attendance of members. President James J. Ward occupied the chair. The report of the treasurer on the recent festival was read and showed the affair to be an unprecedented success from a financial standpoint. It was voted to dispense with meetings during the summer save for the election of officers which occurs in June. The organization intends to celebrate its third anniversary on Sept. 8 in an elaborate manner. A social hour followed the meeting and refreshments were served.

TRAFFIC RESUMED.

WATERVILLE, Me., May 2.—Traffic was resumed today on the Wiscasset, Waterville and Farmington narrow guage railroad, trains passing the spot where the extensive landslide occurred Friday.

FUNERALS

SAVINO—The funeral of John Savino took place this morning from St. Eleanor's church, Boston, at 9 o'clock. A mass of requiem was celebrated by Rev. Fr. Ubaldis. The remains were then brought to Lowell for interment in the family burial lot in the Catholic cemetery, under the direction of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

McELROY—All that was mortal of the late Mrs. Ann McElroy was consigned to its final resting place in the Catholic cemetery this morning. The funeral took place from the late home of deceased, 173 High street, at 8.30 and was largely attended. The cortege proceeded to the Immaculate Conception church, where a solemn mass of requiem was celebrated at 9 o'clock, Rev. Fr. Lawrence, O. M. I., being celebrant, Rev. Fr. Smith, O. M. I., deacon, and Rev. Fr. Tighe, O. M. I., sub-deacon. The choir under the direction of Mr. Haggerty sang the Gregorian mass. The bearers were Edward McLaughlin, Edward Saunders, James Lyons and James Griffin. The ushers were Charles and Wm. Marren. The floral offerings were beautiful and profuse. At the grave Rev. Fr. Lawrence, O. M. I., read the committal prayers. The arrangements were in charge of Wm. F. Curtin, Esq., and the burial under the direction of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

HILLS—The funeral of Mrs. Jennie C. Hills will take place tomorrow afternoon at two o'clock from the home of her son, William F. Hills, Tyler Park. The interment will take place Wednesday in the family lot at Leominster.

CAUGHT IN ELEVATOR.

John Barrett, residing at 14 Watson street, had his right ankle caught in an elevator at the Bay State mills. He was take nto the Emergency hospital where it was found that he had a deep abrasion on his leg.

BURNED TO DEATH

Three Men and a Boy Perished

COUNCIL BLUFFS, Ia., May 2—Three men and a boy were burned to death in a box car in the Northwestern yards here today. They are believed to have been tramps trying to steal a ride, but no clue as to their identity has been obtained, as their clothes were destroyed. The car was discovered to be on fire while being switched and cries for help were heard by the trainmen, but all four succumbed to the flames before they could be reached. The car was filled with bedding and it is supposed the fire was started by the men smoking.

HOUSE ON FIRE

Three Men Arrested on Charge of Arson

NEW YORK, May 2—Angered because a young woman for whom they were seeking could not be found in a house on West 29th street which they visited early today, it is alleged that one of a party of four young men set fire to draperies on the walls of the parlor, thereby endangering the lives of more than a dozen persons asleep in the rooms above.

Three of the men who, the police say, are members, either of the Paul Kelly or "Monk" Eastman gangs are now under arrest, charged with arson. The fourth escaped.

The flames spread quickly and in a few minutes the parlor was ablaze and the upper part of the house was filled with smoke. Ten persons asleep in the rooms above were awakened by the smoke and the shouts and noise made by the men and all but one of them succeeded in getting out in safety. This woman jumped from a third story window and was badly hurt.

The lower part of the house was badly damaged by fire.

HIS MONEY GONE

Member of a Wealthy Family Suicides

NEW YORK, May 2—His money dissipated in speculation, Samuel Silverblatt, a member of a wealthy family in Warsaw, Russia, who with his brother, Jacob, came to this country three months ago, ended his life today by jumping from a fourth story window of an east side lodging house.

The brothers came to the United States with the intention of having an exhibit at the St. Louis exposition. They had a considerable sum of money between them. When they arrived here Jacob decided to remain in this city, while Samuel went to St. Louis to complete arrangements for the exhibit. It was while in the Louisiana Purchase exposition city that Samuel embarked upon a career of speculation which in a few weeks ate up all his money and made the plan of an exhibit impossible.

Since his return here two weeks ago his brother had watched him almost constantly, fearing that in his despondency, the young man would commit suicide.

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LOWELL BELLE

Committed Suicide in a Hotel in Baltimore

BALTIMORE, Md., May 2.—The handsome and well dressed woman, bearing evidence of refinement, who committed suicide here and who lay in the morgue for days without her name being known, was identified yesterday as Clara L. Charters, alias Clara L. Ames, alias Mrs. Olive Mansfield, who, because she loved Dr. Charles Woodward, robbed her father, eloped with the doctor, went to the penitentiary with him for forgery, and because remittances from him ceased and she became penniless, ended it all with self-inflicted death among strangers.

Clara Ames, who was about 35 years old, was in her youth the belle of her town, a village near Lowell, Mass. Her father was Dr. Charters, a veterinarian. Dr. Charles Woodward, supposed to be a drummer, visited the village and fascinated the girl. He persuaded her to rob her father of valuable relics and then eloped with her. They made a comfortable living in Philadelphia and other Pennsylvania towns selling the medicine manufactured from the stolen recipes. They were soon arrested for forgery and became known to the police of Philadelphia as two of the most daring bogus check passers in the East. They quarrelled and she confessed to the police, and on her evidence Woodward went to prison.

They made up, however, and came to Baltimore. Seven years ago Woodward and Miss Charters were arrested for forgery here, Woodward writing the checks and the woman passing them in the fashionable stores. Woodward got seven years in the penitentiary and is now in the institution. Miss Charters got three years and has been out of prison two years. She had been receiving remittances which enabled her to live at the best hotels and wear fine clothes. Suddenly, for some unknown reason, this income stopped. Then began her struggle for existence.

To her credit it may be said that she was never wayward here. She went to work as a seamstress and sold photographs, but without much success. Last week she advertised for a husband, and although she got 40 answers, she opened a few and then burned the lot. At boarding houses her refinement and dignity impressed all who met her. She demanded the best rooms and the best food, but she could not pay her bills and was put out of one hotel after another. Last Thursday night she went to the boarding house of Mrs. Charles Carter, 52 West Fayette street, and asked for a room for the night. She closed the windows, stuffed the mat under the door and was found dead in bed next morning, with the gas turned on full. She had destroyed all clews to her identity.

Yesterday the matron of the home for fallen women identified her as the one who had stopped at the institution after she came out of prison, not because she was immoral, but because there was no other place to go. The Order of Eagles has taken charge of the body and will save it from a pauper's grave. When Woodward heard of the suicide he showed no emotion, asked only if the dead woman was positively identified and if the death could in any way get him into trouble.

GENERAL STRIKE

ALL UNION CARPENTERS IN WATERBURY ARE OUT.

WATERBURY, Conn., May 2—A general strike of all the union carpenters in this city, numbering 400, began today. The carpenters have demanded a minimum wage rate of $2.80 a day in place of the $2.50 now paid and the refusal of the master carpenters to sign an agreement based on the increased rate led to the strike.

PRESIDENT MITCHELL

HAS POSTPONED HIS TRIP TO EUROPE.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., May 2—President John Mitchell of the United Mine Workers has left the city for an unknown destination. A report that he has gone to Colorado in response to the telegram announcing the assault upon Organizer Wardlon cannot be confirmed.

Owing to a postponement of the international mining congress at Paris from May 21 to Aug. 12, President Mitchell will not sail for Europe May 12 as he had planned.

QUARANTINE IS OFF.

NEW YORK, May 2—In view of the official report just made that the foot and mouth disease has disappeared in New England the government has resolved, says a Herald dispatch from Buenos Ayres, Argentine, to cancel the decree prohibiting the importation of cattle from Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Massachusetts, Connecticut and Rhode Island.

TO BEGIN CABLE WORK.

NEW YORK, May 2—The cable steamer Stephan arrived here today from Bremen to begin work on the New York-Fayal section of the German—American duplicate cable. This steamer was especially constructed for this work, having been completed about one year ago.

The displacement of the Stephan is nearly three times that of the cable steamer "Von Podbielski," while the cable carrying capacity is nearly five times that of the older vessel, the new steamer's cable carrying capacity being 500 tons.

GENERAL CONFERENCE

OF THE METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., May 2—As the day for the assembling of the delegates to the 31st general conference of the Methodist Episcopal church approaches, general interest in the gathering of representative church men from all parts of the civilized world becomes greater and when Bishop Merrill calls to order the first session at 9 o'clock next Wednesday morning, 748 out of a total of 750 accredited delegates will be in their seats ready to proceed with the legislative tasks confronting them.

The delegates will, during the daily sessions lasting throughout the month of May be called upon to solve many problems of importance to the growth and future welfare of the M. E. church.

In the opinion of many high in the councils of Methodism the quadrennial session will prove the most important of any in the history of the church.

Among the important subjects are the following:

What can the church do on the liquor question?

What action can the church take to solve the race question?

Shall worldly pleasures, such as dancing, theatre going and card playing be condoned by the chuch?

With which combatant in the war in the Orient are our sympathies?

What can be done by the church to prevent, in the good name of the country, the crime of lynching?

Shall the itineraries of Methodist ministers be restored?

How many bishops shall be elected and how many be retired?

A proposal to consolidate the three publishing houses of the church in New York, Cincinnati and Chicago will doubtless cause spirited discussion in the conference.

The subject of the American university in course of construction at Washington is one of the big questions that the educational department will have to decide. The instruction as originally projected was to have an endowment of $5,000,000 and an agreement was reached at the former general conference that the university should not be opened until this sum should be in hand. About two and a half millions have been collected, land has been secured and several large buildings erected. There is a strong party in the conference that opposes the idea of letting this property stand idle for an indefinite period and urges that the school be opened also.

The educational department will also have to decide the question of heresy in certain theological schools where the majority of the Methodist ministers receive their training.

For the first time in the history of Methodism general conferences, women delegates will have seats in the conference and a voice in the direction of church affairs.

The election of bishops which will take place about May 16, is one of the chief duties of the present conference. There are three vacancies at this time and it is probable that several, possibly three or four of the older bishops who have reached the age which incapacitates them from active duty will be retired.

There are numerous candidates. Among them are: Rev. Dr. James B. Buckley, New York; Rev. Dr. George F. Bovard, Los Angeles, Cal.; Chancellor Day of the University of Syracuse; Rev. Dr. W. F. McDowell of the Educational society; President Little of the Garrett Biblical institute, Evanston, Ills.; President Bashford of Ohio Wesleyan university; Rev. T. B. Jennings, Cincinnati and Rev. Dr. Henry Spellmeyer, Newark, N. J.

The colored delegates, of which there are 75 or more, will make a strong effort to have one of their race elected bishop.

MAN ASPHYXIATED

OCCUPANTS OF BUILDING HAD NARROW ESCAPE.

CHICAGO, May 2.—One person, Joseph Webb, has been asphyxiated and many other occupants of a three-story building in Halstea dstreet, have been injured and narrowly escaped death in a fire which swept through the place and cut off escape by the stairways both in the front and the rear. Only the prompt work of the firemen saved the lives of the other tenants who were asleep when the fire started. In the work of rescue two firemen and one policeman were injured.

The fire which did damage of only a few thousand dollars spread so rapidly that the occupants of the place were hemmed in by the flames before they could be aroused.

50TH ANNIVERSARY

OF OPENING OF BOSTON PUBLIC LIBRARY.

BOSTON, May 2—The 50th anniversary of the opening of the Boston public library was observed today. The principal celebration of the event will come this evening when the trustees will hold an informal reception at the library. Invitations to be present have been sent to representatives of many libraries in the United States.

The library building which occupies the site on the southerly side of Copley square bears decorations appropriate to the architectural structure. Two high staffs stand on either side of the main entrance with white banners pendant bearing the dates of 1854 and 1904. The front of the building is draped with flags and bunting.

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INSANE MOTHER

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CLEVELAND, O., May 2.—Mrs. Caroline Volkman, who is believed to be insane, threw her three children, Annie, aged 11, Willie, aged 5, and Otto, aged 2, into Lake Erie yesterday afternoon and then jumped in herself. Fortunately boatmen were near by and the whole party was rescued. The children were sent to their home and the mother is locked up pending examination regarding her mental condition. Domestic troubles are said to have made her temporarily irresponsible.

WANT MORE PAY

PIANO MOVERS WENT OUT ON STRIKE.

BOSTON, May 2.—The piano movers of Boston, who are affiliated with the Boston Piano and Furniture Movers' union, No. 342, and who number 110 men, went out on strike today. The cause of the strike was the refusal of their employers to grant their demand which included a request for $1 more a week in pay and a request that the overtime working period be begun at six p. m., instead of seven. The firms affected are the J. W. Cook corporation where 52 piano movers went out, Wm. R. Ridlon where 43 men struck, and M. Steinert & Sons, where the force of 12 movers stopped work.

ROBBERS GOT $400

SAFE IN TICKET OFFICE BLOWN OPEN.

PITTSBURG, Pa., May 2—The ticket office of the Pitcairn station of the Pennsylvania railroad near here was entered at an early hour today by burglars who blew open the safe with nitro-glycerine and secured about $400. The office was badly wrecked by the concussion.

GREAT CONFUSION AMONG RUSSIANS

LONDON, May 2.—A despatch to the Central News from Seoul says that after the Japanese charge which resulted in the occupation of the Russian lines at Chiu Tien Cheng the Russians fell back in confusion. The Japanese, the despatch continues, have now secured a firm hold on the Manchurian side of the Yalu.

BIG BATTLESHIP RAN AGROUND

ST. PETERSBURG, May 2—The new Russian battleship Oral to which the finishing touches are being put ran aground on a sandbar in the Neva yesterday. The ice breaker Ermak has been sent from Cronstadt to assist the tugs in pulling her off.

CHINESE LABORERS BUILDING TRENCHES

TIEN TSIN, May 2—Two hundred Russians are entrenching themselves on the Liao river, three miles from Sinmintung, employing Chinese laborers. Sinmintung is two miles from Koupangtze, a permanent Russian camp. A detachment of 180 men is patrolling the railroad line.

SHARP FIGHTING FOR 30 MINUTES

LONDON, May 2.—The Japanese legation gave out today an official despatch from the admiralty at Tokio reporting an engagement between Japanese warships on the Yalu and Russian shore batteries. It reads as follows:

"The captain of the gunboat Maya reports that a flotilla consisting of the gunboats Maya and Uji and some torpedo boats ascended the Yalu May 1, bombarding the enemy. While they were returning the enemy's artillery suddenly attacked the torpedo boats. The latter silenced the enemy after a severe engagement lasting 30 minutes and the flotilla all returned to Yougampo. There were no casualties.

"Our armed launches reached Antung the same morning and repulsed the enemy's infantry and artillery after 30 minutes of sharp fighting. Fire was seen rising from the town and a native says that the enemy fled from Antung after setting fire to it."

THREE HOLD-UPS

HIGHWAYMEN GOT FIVE CENTS AND A WALLET.

QUINCY, May 2—Highwaymen were busy in this city early yesterday morning, but they labored for almost nothing, as their profits amounted to a 5-cent piece and a wallet.

S. Breaksole of Atlantic contributed the nickel. He had reached Atlantic and Squantum streets and was almost home when two young fellows jumped at him from behind and knocked him down. Mr. Breaksole reached for a club which was in his pocket, and his assailants reached for his purse and got it with the 5 cents.

Just after midnight Abraham Asuretz of Braintree was walking along Hancock street, near Cottage avenue, in the business district, when a gang of young fellows came up behind him. They threw his coat tails over his head and knocked him down. Mr. Asuretz held onto his dress suit case and yelled. The cries frightened his assailants and they were out of sight when the police arrived.

The gang ran through Cottage street to Canal street and later were heard from in the vicinity of Canal and Washington streets, where they broke a number of windows in stores.

The most daring holdup of the night was when Miss Katie Doucette of Winter street was knocked down by a stranger on South street. Miss Doucette screamed and the fellow ordered her to be quiet or have her throat cut. Miss Doucette screamed all the harder. Her cries brought some people from a neighboring house and the approach of help frightened the fellow off.

JOHN W. KISSAM DEAD.

NEW YORK, May 2.—John W. Kissam who went to California in 1849 and established a line of vessels between San Francisco and islands in the Pacific, is dead at his home here. He became an extensive importer of asphalt and was the inventor of a process for refining and handling the crude material which is now in general use. After retiring from the Pacific trade he inaugurated a steam line between New York and Portland, Me.

HOTEL KEEPERS

Want Some of Reid's Trust Fund

SPRINGFIELD, May 2—A development in the train of interesting circumstances surrounding the career of William J. Reid, alias L. O. Hoffman, the famous forger, is the announcement that suit will be instituted against Reid by Springfield and Hartford hotels to recover money which they allege they were defrauded of through his forged letters of credit.

Reid's activities the past year are well known. Last year he defrauded hotels from Maine to California of sums aggregating $15,000. Through information furnished by the Springfield police he was captured in San Francisco and after a noteworthy legal contest, in which on several occasions he seemed likely to regain his freedom, was brought to Springfield, tried, convicted and incarcerated in the York street jail, from which he escaped in January. He was recaptured after an exciting ten days chase through Vermont and New York state.

That Reid had assistance in escaping from the jail war then alleged. Last week Monday at the request of Col. E. P. Clark, sheriff of Hampden county, a warrant was issued for the arrest of Fred E. Paddock, a street railway conductor and a former guard at the jail, on the charge of abetting the escape of Reid.

Paddock's arrest caused general surprise, as his reputation was excellent. The heavy bonds under which he was held were quickly raised by his friends.

Paddock will be tried next Friday. From authoritative sources it was learned last week that the commonwealth would offer as evidence the allegation that Reid gave Paddock $3200, of which Paddock was to have $500. Hoffman, who will be one of the witnesses for the commonwealth, is alleged to have asserted that his escape failed because of Paddock's failure to provide him with sufficient funds.

Acting on the alleged information relative to the $3200, the Worthy hotel of this city and the Heublein hotel of Hartford retained counsel who have served on Reid notice of two suits, each to recover $300. Paddock, as the alleged agent or trustee of Reid, has been enjoined from converting to another any funds given into his possession by Reid.

BREAD IS SCARCE

BROCKTON BAKERS ARE OUT ON STRIKE.

BROCKTON, Mass., May 2.—Yesterday afternoon 40 of 80 bread and pastry bakers of this district, including Brockton and surrounding towns, went out on strike, refusing to arbitrate, or further confer with the master bakers' club, regarding the union's demand for practically a 12 per cent. increase.

This morning the men were still out and there is a scarcity of bread and pastry in the district. The men claim that 14 out of the 21 employing bakers in the master bakers' club have signed and assert that the others will sign very soon. The master bakers have made no attempts to fill the places of the strikers. It is believed the strike will be of short duration.

OFFICERS' REPORTS

READ AT CONVENTION OF GENERAL SOCIETY, D. A. R.

BOSTON, Mass., May 2.—The delegates to the annual convention of the general society of the Daughters of the Revolution who have come here from various states of the union assembled in Copley hall today for the opening business session of the meeting. Although a large number of delegates were here yesterday and attended a special service in Christ church many more arrived today to take part in the business proceedings. Today's session was devoted to the reading of reports of officers and to the nomination of officers. In addition to the election of the general society officers, ten members of the national board of managers were to be chosen, three from New York, two from Massachusetts and one each from Colorado, Indiana, Minnesota, Maryland and Pennsylvania. The Massachusetts delegates selected as their member of the nominating committee Mrs. Anna W. Heckman, who has been secretary for the Massachusetts society for several years.

SOCIALIST CREED

EDUARD BERNSTEIN SAYS IT SHOULD BE REVISED.

BERLIN, May 2—Eduard Bernstein, a member of the Reichstag, begins the publication today of a new socialist weekly, entitled Das Neue Montagsblatt, wherein he advocates the revision of the socialist creed so that it shall be less idealistic and more a program of practical reform. Herr Bernstein prefixes his editorial column with the following questions:

"Is it known to the German government that torpedo boats and destroyers for the Russian government are being built at one of the largest German ship yards? Is it known to the government that in order to disguise this breach of neutrality the several parts of the vessels are exported as half finished manufactures and put together in Libau, Russia? Is it known finally that the building of these war vessels is so urgent that work proceeds from five a. m. to nine p. m.?"

MASTER BAKERS

REFUSED TO SIGN NEW WAGE SCHEDULE.

BOSTON, May 2.—The principal difficulty to occur on May day in New England was the strike of about fifteen hundred bakers in this city and nearby places, including Cambridge, Lynn, Salem, Brockton, Abington, Rockland, Stoughton, North Easton, Weymouth, South Weymouth, and Bridgewater. The strike was caused by the refusal of the master bakers to sign a new schedule calling for a sixty hour week and $16 a week for second hands and $18 for foremen. The larger hotel and restaurants are not affected by the difficulty.

Among other troubles are those caused by the demand of 400 carpenters in Springfield and Chicopee for an increase of fifty cents a day. There were minor strikes in the building trades in other places but in New England as a whole the number of men in voluntary idleness is smaller this year than usual.

WAS LEADING POLITICIAN.

NEW YORK, May 2.—George Starr, commissioner of immigration at this port for 25 years, is dead at the age of 89. He was well known in local republican politics.

FROM YESTERDAY'S LATE EDITION

THE BROWN CASE

The Defendant Placed on the Witness Stand

The case of Inspector Geo. H. Brown, charged with assault and battery on George and Harriet Slater, came up on continuance in police court today. The court room was crowded and there was a generous sprinkling of lawyers, doctors and others within the railed enclosure.

Judge Dewey, counsel for Officer Brown, arrived on time, resplendent in Prince Albert coat and glossy tile and not to be outdone even in the matter of dress, Mr. O'Connor wore a Prince Albert coat, white vest, patent leather shoes and other things.

The defendant, Geo. H. Brown, was the first witness. He told the story of his visit to the complainants in Marshall street on the afternoon of April 19. He went there, he said, in response to a call by telephone. He said he arrived there at about 2.40.

"I heard a noise," he said, "that sounded as if a drunken fight was in progress.

"I went to the front door. Mrs. Slater came to the door and hollered—'It's Brown, it's Brown!' She spat in my face, pushed her hand through the door and hit me in the face.

"She said —'you — — — — — I'll knock your block off.' I got into the house and she greeted me with a smash in the jaw. In addition to striking me she called me a few more pet names as did also Mr. Slater. There was present in the house at the time a woman whom I have since learned, was a Mrs. Coburn. There was an old man there also. I don't know who he was.

"Both Mr. and Mrs. Slater were drunk. I did not hit Mrs. Slater and did not lay a hand on Mr. Slater in the house. Mrs. Slater swung on me with rights and lefts in true Jim Jeffries' style and pounded me until Officer Grady pulled her away.

"In the street Slater said to me 'Show your — — — — — a warrant or I'll have Officer Cawley arrest you.' He did not have any coat on at that time. His coat and hat were brought out and I helped him to put them on.

"I advised him to go home, but he continued to follow me and he made himself very obnoxious. Finally I told him I would arrest him if he didn't go home. I did not arrest him. He was not under arrest when Officer Grady persuaded him to go home. Officer Grady went home with him."

In reply to Judge Dewey's question Officer Brown said he saw Mr. and Mrs. Slater in police court Feb. 19. They were defendants in a liquor case.

BROWN CROSS-EXAMINED.

Cross-examined by Mr. O'Connor, Mr. Brown made answer to the following questions:

"How many years have you been connected with the Lowell police force?"

"Three years."

"How long have you been connected with the liquor force?"

"Since the first of last May."

"As a patrolman what was your practice in entering dwellings?"

Judge Dewey objected to the question, but the objection was not sustained.

Witness said he had always exercised the greatest care. He never went in without being called in and generally with a warrant.

"How many places have you entered since you have been a member of the liquor squad?"

"This year I have made about 18,500 visits."

"You generally have a search warrant with you when you enter a house?"

"I never enter a house in search of liquors without a search warrant.'

"What were you doing in that house on that day without a warrant?"

"I had been sent there to quell a disturbance."

Mr. Brown proceeded to express his opinion of his rights on the premises, within the law. Mr. OConnor objected, but the court said that the witness was but making answers to counsel's questions, he having asked witness what he believed to be his rights there.

"What is your custom when you go out? I mean, whom do you get your instructions from?"

"The man who has the warrant is looked upon as the man in charge of the raid."

"Did you have any conference in the squad room that day before leaving for the house in Marshall street?"

"No."

"Why did the squad separate in Middlesex street?"

"We generally separate. It attracts too much attention to go in a bunch. It is a sort of unwritten law with us."

Mr. O'Connor repeated his question relative to a conference being held in the squad room. Judge Dewey objected.

"I do not object because it is not important, but because it has already been asked."

"My brother attorney," said Mr. O'Connor, "was given unusual leaway in his cross-examinations."

"I expect it. I'm a stranger here," laughingly replied Judge Dewey.

"Who went up Marshall street with you?" asked Mr. O'Connor.

"Mr. Grady," replied Mr. Brown.

"How much in advance of the other officers were you?"

"Few feet, I don't know just how many."

"Whom did you meet at the door?"

"Mrs. Slater."

"What did she say?"

"It's Brown, it's Brown."

"What did you ring the bell for?"

"Because I heard the disturbance inside."

"Why didn't you tell Mrs. Slater what you went there for?"

"Mrs. Slater was beyond understanding that day."

Mr. O'Connor objected to Mr. Brown's answer. Mr. Dewey said it was a competent answer, and the court allowed it.

"What did you do when Mrs. Slater spit in your face?"

"I did not say anything."

"What next took place?"

"She called me the names which I repeated in my direct testimony."

"Didn't you say anything to Mrs. Slater?"

"Not a word."

"Didn't you think you had reason enough to speak to her—you went there to quell a disturbance?"

"I have told you that she was beyond understanding—she was drunk."

"You didn't make any attempt to protect yourself against Mrs. Slater's attack?"

"No. Officer Grady took charge of her."

"Did you grab Mr. Slater by the throat while in that house?"

"I did not."

"Did you take him by the collar and pull him out of the house?"

"I did not."

"Where was Mr. Slater when you came out of the house?"

"He was in the sitting room."

"Where was Mrs. Slater when you left the house?"

"She was in the sitting room, near the door to the parlor."

"What was said when you were all outside?"

"A good many things were said. I wanted him to go back to the house and he said he was going to get Officer Cawley to arrest me."

"Do you want the court to believe that Slater, as drunk as you say he was, followed you more than 200 yards, making himself obnoxious, and you didn't arrest him?"

"That is what I said."

"Have you seen Mr. Slater since April 19?"

"Yes, I did."

"Where did you meet him?"

"Corner of Marion and Broadway."

In the course of this part of the examination Judge Dewey said it was new matter to him and he wanted to know something about it.

"I want to show," said Mr. O'Connor, "that the witness has been seeking out the complainants."

"Yes, and I want to show," shouted Mr. Brown, "that this man Slater wanted me to pay him $100 to settle the case—it was a case of blackmail."

The court ordered Mr. O'Connor to change the character of his questions.

"When did you meet Mr. Slater?"

"I believe it was in the evening of April 23."

"Was Mr. Slater there when you arrived?"

"He was in the back room."

"Did you have any conversation with Mr. Slater, relative to this matter?"

"I did not."

"Mr. Brown, do you remember meeting me Wednesday morning, the day after Patriot's day?"

"I remember of meeting you one morning."

"Did you have any conversation with me about this case? Did you ask me if proceedings would be instituted against me?"

"No sir.'

"Do you remember asking me if Mrs. Slater had been to me relative to the case?"

Judge Dewey objected to the case. He said there were too many issues being tried. One issue at a time, he said, was enough and it was not fair to insinuate by innuendo or otherwise that the defendant was guilty of another crime.

The court allowed Mr. O'Connor's questions.

"Do you remember telling me that you lost your head and that you choked Mr. Slater?"

"I did not have that conversation with you."

At one o'clock the court took recess for dinner.

At two o'clock trial of the case was resumed. Mr. O'Connor asked Mr. Brown if he thought it would be possible for the officer on the beat to quell the disturbance at 23 Marshall street.

Brown said he thought the officer could have quelled it if he happened along.

Mary A. Marston of 19 Marshall street, and Charles H. Cochrin were put on the stand in rebuttal by Mr. O'Connor, but nothing new was brought out.

DECISION RESERVED.

At the conclusion of the arguments Judge Hadley announced he would reserve his decision for two weeks.

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ANNUAL REUNION

Comrades of Co. A. 33rd Regiment Met

The annual reunion of Co. A, old 33rd regiment, was held at Post 120, G. A. R., hall today, and the little handful of the comrades that are left grew eloquent and sad at times in their reminiscences of that terrible day at Chancellorsville, when the 33rd was cut down like wheat before the scythe.

The usual banquet was served in the banquet hall and it was preceded by a business meeting in the main hall.

President S. C. Smiley presided and in calling to order said that because of the death of the late secretary, Comrade Henry Hope, he would appoint Comrade J. Varnum Abbott of Roxbury, secretary pro tem. Comrade Abbott read the records of the last meeting and the same were accepted.

On motion of Comrade Charles H. Kimball of Lowell, the organization remained the same as last year with the exception that Mr. Abbott be made secretary instead of Comrade Hope, deceased.

On motion of Comrade Stacy of Haverhill the president and secretary were appointed a committee of two to draw up resolutions on the deaths of Comrades Hope and Lowell.

Members of the old 33rd present were: President S. C. Smiley, Capt. J. B. Thompson, E. A. Bartlett, D. L. Page, C. H. Kimball and Edmund Coburn, Lowell; J. Varnum Abbott, Roxbury; Nathaniel Ladd, Groveland, and Dr. Gaisborn of Lawrence.

Several letters of regret from members unable to attend were read, including one from James E. Farnsn of Chicago, the company's captain.

NORTH CHELMSFORD

The citizens of North Chelmsford will meet in the town hall this evening to discuss the matter of getting a pure and adequate water supply.

Horace Whitman, master mechanic of the Moore Spinning company, severed his connection with that company, Saturday noon, and before leaving was held up by his fellow employes in whose behalf Frederick Berry, the well known electrician, presented him with a costly pipe.

Rev. D. A. Hudson of Millers Falls has accepted the call to the Second Congregational church.

Rev. John McNamara of St. John's church, who has been ill at the home of his folks in Rochester, N. H., is now feeling much improved in health, and in a few weeks he will be able to resume his duties at St. John's church. The 9.15 o'clock mass in St. John's church Sunday was celebrated by the pastor, Rev. Edmund T. Schofield. In the near future Rev. Fr. Schofield intends to have the exterior of St. John's church painted.

May devotions will be held this week in St. John's church on Tuesday and Thursday evenings at 7.30 o'clock.

CHELMSFORD CENTRE.

Supt. William H. Hall of the Unitarian Sunday school has tendered his resignation, and the fact was announced at a business meeting held after the session, yesterday. The committee had refused to consider the resignation notice as final and a vote of the school was called for, the school voting unanimously for the retention of Mr. Hall. The latter expressed his appreciation for the honor done him and regretted that he could not comply with the wishes of the school and alter his determination. He had been superintendent for eight years and had done fine work.

Rev. A. D. K. Shurtleff of the Unitarian church will tour Europe this summer.

The Unitarian church May party will be held in the town hall this evening.

Troop F will hold a business meeting this evening.

NORTH BILLERICA

The closing exercises of the mission at St. Andrew's church under the auspices of the Oblate Fathers of the Immaculate Conception church, Lowell, were held yesterday, the mission closing with vespers, sermon, and benediction of the Blessed Sacrament, after which the blessing of religious articles was held. The renewal of the baptismal vows and the papal benediction were administered to a large number.

The North Billerica council baseball team will open the season in the Royal Arcanum league Saturday when bats will be crossed with the team representing Lowell council. The game will be played at Faulkner's park.

Rev. Mr. Pierce of North Tewksbury, occupied the pulpit at the North Billerica Baptist church yesterday. Both services were largely attended. Next Sunday, Rev. Mr. Dame of Southport, N. H., will preach.

The Mayflower club will hold its annual dancing party in Thomas Talbot Memorial hall Friday evening. The club intends to have this event eclipse all previous ones.

The seventy-fifth anniversary of the organization of the First Orthodox Congregational church of Billerica was held yesterday. The morning services were held at 10.45 o'clock and an eloquent historical sermon was delivered by the pastor of the church, Rev. John Harold Dale, who gave an interesting sketch of the church from the time of its foundation until the present day.

The afternoon services were held at three o'clock in the afternoon and among those present were a number of the former pastors of the church.

Special musical programs were carried out at both services.

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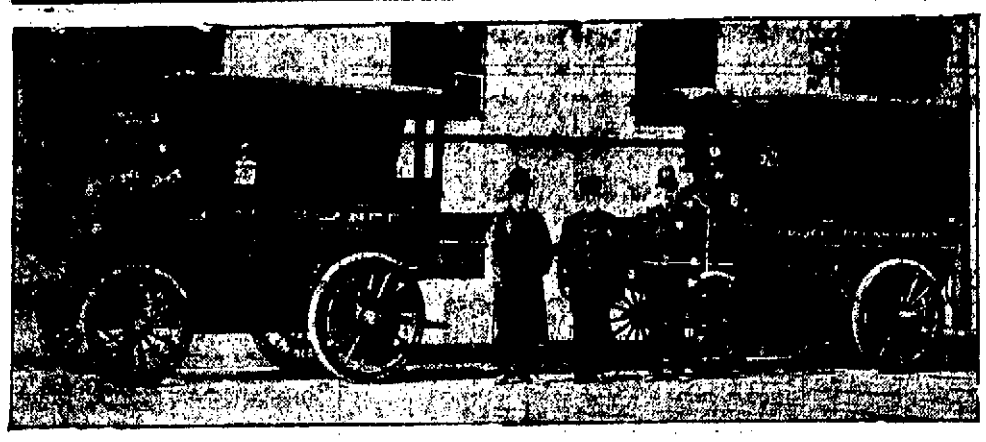

THE HARTFORD AUTOMOBILE POLICE PATROL AND AMBULANCE.

TRAIN DERAILED

BUT NONE OF THE PASSENGERS WERE INJURED.

SPRINGVALE, Maine, May 3.—The passenger train on the Portland and Rochester division of the Boston and Maine railroad due here from Portland at 1.55 p. m. yesterday, left the track near Shaker Pond, owing to the spreading of the rails.

The train consisting of three passenger coaches, a baggage car and locomotive, was moving slowly at the time and nobody was injured.

The whole train was derailed, but no serious damage was done. At the point where the accident occurred repairs are being made on the roadbed and for that reason the train was moving slowly through the section.

MORE VANDALISM

PERPETRATED AT SEVER HALL AT HARVARD COLLEGE.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., May 3.—It was learned last night that an act of vandalism was perpetrated at Harvard college on Friday night when Sever hall, one of the largest buildings in the college yard, was broken into, and locks, doors and glass were broken.

Every gas jet in the building was opened and the illuminating gas escaped all night, completely filling the building.

The vandalism was discovered on Saturday morning when the janitor opened the hall. Inasmuch as a fire was kept burning in the building throughout the night, it is considered remarkable that the building was not wrecked by an explosion of gas. There is no clue to the identity of the vandals.

EXCELLENT BILL AT THE CASTO.

There is a program at the Casto this week, which no one should miss seeing, for it is by far the best bill of the season. Edward Gillette's animal circus heads the program and this act alone is worth the price of admission. The canines are without doubt the most intelligent animals before the public and their act is a revelation as to the possibilities to which the animal can be put. The offering opens with a "sandwich" dog which runs before the curtain bearing cards announcing as the first number "A Coon Flirtation."

When the curtain rises upon the stage is seen a house from which emerges a dog representing the husband, and he departs. Then from the window is seen the wife looking for the arival of her lover. He comes and goes into the house. Scarcely has he entered the house when the husband returns. He forces an entrance, a pistol shot is heard and from the window emerges the lover in rags. The husband gives chase and is joined by a policeman, and the lover is caught, taken back to the house and hung to a tree. The pantomime is most amusing, but it forms but little of the act. In quick succession follow two canines, one of which plays "Home, Sweet Home" upon chime bells, while another plays a waltz upon the same. Then six dogs play upon the bells without a miss or wait, and without the least instruction from Mr. Gillette. Then there are leaping dogs, dogs who turn somersaults, both forward and backward, climbing dogs who climb high ladders and dive into nets; and hurdle jumpers. The act closes with one of the funniest scenes ever presented here. Half a dozen large rubber balloons are thrown into the air and the dogs upon the stage keep them in the air and out into the audience while the patrons joining in the fun keep them returning to the stage. Nearly every person in the front of the house had a try at the balls yesterday, and the dogs seemed to enjoy it every bit as much as the audience. The act is one which appeals to adults as well as the children and all will be well pleased as this alone is an enjoyable entertainment.

Hoch, Elton and company in the comedy "Mlle. Bleci," created roars of laughter with their sketch, which is a sure cure for the blues.

The Misses Delmore in their refined and artistic instrumental and singing specialty were big favorites. They are handsome girls and are exquisitely gowned. Cole and Warner are premier German comedians: Charles H. Duncan is an eccentric comedian who has a budget of witty stories: Glenroy and Russell in their character change act were great favorites for their novel offering; Levine and Alma in a comedy acrobatic act, and Madeline Burdette, pleasing vocalist, round out a very entertaining bill.

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If his appropriation would admit of it Supt. Moffatt would like to do away with horses and substitute automobiles for police department service. Hartford was the first American city to do away with horses, and Supt. Moffatt has talked with Chief of Police Cornelius J. Ryan of that city and Mr. Moffatt is satisfied that the automobile is a big improvement over the horses for police department work.

"It will be sometime," said Mr. Moffatt, "before Lowell will be in a position to take on the automobiles. We have good horses and good wagons. The latter are not fitted for any other kind of work and even if everybody connected with the department favored automobiles it would be impossible for us to think of changing now. Our appropriation would not admit of it.

"Yes, I understand that quite a number of cities are going to adopt the automobile for police and ambulance work. Our department is up to date in almost every respect and I think we can get along with horses for a few years longer."

Chief of Police Cornelius J. Ryan of Hartford, Conn., says that the automobile equipment installed three years ago comprises an electric patrol wagon, and an electric ambulance. He says these vehicles have entirely superseded two horse drawn patrols, a horse ambulance and a "black maria." The patrol covers the entire city, which covers an area of ten square miles and which has 90,000 inhabitants. The old equipment kept five horses in constant service. The chief shows interesting figures indicating that the cost of maintenance for the electric outfit is about 60 per cent. of that of the old horse equipment.

50TH ANNIVERSARY

OF FOUNDING OF BOSTON PUBLIC LIBRARY.

BOSTON, May 3.—The 50th anniversary of the founding of the Boston public library was observed last night by a reception to the public at the library building in Copley square. Mayor Collins and the board of trustees being in the receiving line.

The library was closed for business at 6 o'clock last evening and from 8 until 10 o'clock a solid stream of people passed through the delivery room in which the receiving party stood.

The building was tastefully decorated, bunting and palms being displayed in profusion. Music was furnished by the Boston Symphony orchestra, which occupied the landing at the head of the great marble staircase.

Persons from all walks of life and representing all trades and professions were present at the reception, as well as several well known librarians from other cities.

RECEPTION TENDERED

TO REV. DR. DANIEL HENSHAW.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., May 3.—Rev. Dr. Daniel Henshaw's 50th anniversary of service in the All Saints' Episcopal church was brought to a fitting climax at Spinks assembly rooms last night when he was tendered a reception at which he greeted most of the clergy of the diocese and officials prominent in civil life. During the evening he was presented with a beautiful silver loving cup and flowers as tributes from members of his congregation and his friends.

Letters of congratulation on his long service in the church were received from prominent men all over the country.

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MANY VIEW REMAINS OF REV. FR. McGOLDRICK.

ST. JOHN, N. B., May 3.—Throngs of people last night viewed the body of Rev. T. C. McGoldrick, late of St. Leo's church, Dorchester, Boston, as it lay in state in St. Peter's church. Accompanying the body here from Boston were Rev. Michael H. Gary of St. Leo's, and Rev. F. J. Holloran of St. Peter's, that city, and relatives.

The funeral services will be at 10 o'clock today. There will be a requiem mass and Rev. Fr. Holloran will preach.

"SAMPLES" BARRED

WOMEN MUST NOT BE PRESENTED WITH DRINKS.

BOSTON, May 3.—It was said at police headquarters yesterday that the commissioners have made further concessions from their recent ruling that liquor dealers shall not sell to women.

Objection by the dealers to the first order was met by the commissioners with a new ruling which allowed women to purchase goods in bottles from a bar other than that at which men were served with drinks.

The ruling yesterday, it is stated, is that while women may buy bottled liquors at the "dry bar" the dealers must not allow women customers to "sample" the firm's liquor while doing so. It has been the custom for some liquor dealers to give their customers a drink when they purchased whisky by the bottle.

The liquor stores of Nelson Doherty and John McDonald, near the speedway in Brighton, have been allowed to open. On account of the objection of the metropolitan park commissioners, however, the dealers have been notified that they must find new locations within 30 days.

CONTEMPT CHARGE

TWO BOSTON MEN ARE ACCUSED.

BOSTON, May 3.—Patrick J. Gough a tailor at 78 Summer street, and Timothy Hurley, a bartender at 8 West Broadway, were arrested yesterday afternoon on a bench warrant based on information setting out that they had approached Edward F. McClennen, an attorney, with a view to procure money to influence certain jurors in the cases of Edward Atkins and Maud Snow vs the city of Boston.

They were taken before Judge Bishop in the third session of the superior court, where the cases were on trial together, and held in $5000 each till this forenoon. They will appear before the court for contempt.

Hurley and Goff were apprehended by Deputy Sheriffs Kelly and Silsby on a warrant issued by Judge Bishop upon an information filed by Asst. Dist. Atty. Sughrue.

Two of the jurors who sat on the panel in the cases of Atkins and Snow against the city were excused just after the arguments of counsel were finished until this morning.

Just where they figure in the cases is not ascertainable, for the information explicitly states that the alleged attempt of the men arrested did not succeed, since Mr. McClennen called the attention of the court to the matter immediately. No complaint was made against the jurors, but they were taken from the jury and told to be in court today when the hearing in the cases of Hurley and Gough will be held.

The cases on trial were petitions for an assessment of damages for the taking of land owned by the petitioners by the city for sewer purposes.

Mr. McClennen appears for the petitioners.

Both men pleaded not guilty and were committed to jail in default of bail.

PRAYER OFFERED

THAT ROOSEVELT MAY BE REELECTED PRESIDENT.

CHICAGO, May 3.—A prayer that President Roosevelt might be returned to the White House caused an unusual demonstration yesterday during the opening exercises of the 22nd quadrennial conference of the African Methodist Episcopal church.

The utterance was the occasion of deafening shouts by the assembled delegates.

Delegates from Africa were the centre of interest at the convention.

A formal program, including a march of the bishops and delegates preceded the organization of the conference.

GARNER ESTATE

IS INVOLVED IN LITIGATION AT ALBANY.

ALBANY, N. Y., May 3.—The estate of the late William T. Garner, who with his wife, was drowned in New York harbor in 1876 by the overturning of their yacht, is involved in the litigation which reached the court of appeals upon final argument yesterday. The appellant in the case is William R. Thorne, sole surviving executor and trustee under Mr. Garner's will. The respondents are Mr. Garner's three daughters, Marcellite, the Marquis De Breuteuil; Florence Josephine, the wife of Sir William G. Gordon-Cummings; and Edith, the Countess De Moltke Huitfeldt, and their minor children.

The state which then amounted to $3,000,000, has since increased to about $11,000,000. It was left in trust, with provision for annuities for Mrs. Garner and the daughter Florence, then a minor child. Any balance of profits was to accumulate as part of the industrial capital. The point at issue is a technical one, whether this provision does not violate the statute of accumulations. About $3,000,000 of undivided profits is at stake.

Fred C. Church had the insurance on the fire in A. L. Brooks' stable last night.

JANOWSKI LEADS

IN THE INTERNATIONAL CHESS TOURNAMENT.

CAMBRIDGE SPRINGS, Pa., May 3.—At the conclusion of the fifth round of the international chess masters' tournament, now in progress here, Janowski still had the lead. While he has only four games to his credit his adjourned game with Showalter is sure to yield him half a point, making his score virtually 4 1-2 points, while Lasker, Marshall, Mieses and Teichmann are bunched together with four points.

Pillsbury went down before Mieses yesterday. Lawrence lost his game by exceeding the time limit. The details of the eight games follow:

Mieses beat Pillsbury in a Petroff defence after 35 moves.

Lasker and Marshall drew a Sicilian defence after 45 moves.

Lawrence went down before Fox in a Sicilian defence, because he exceeded his time.

Schlechter beat Napier in a Vienna opening after 21 moves.

Teichmann disposed of Marco in a Petroff defence earlier 32 moves.

Hodges lost to Delmar in a Ruy Lopez after 28 moves.

Showalter and Janowski adjourned their game, a Ruy Lopez, in a perfectly even end game position.

Barry was beaten by Tschigorin in a Ruy Lopez after 30 moves.

ANNUAL DINNER

OF PRINCETON ALUMNI ASSOCIATION OF NEW ENGLAND.

BOSTON, May 3.—The annual meeting and dinner of the Princeton Alumni association of New England were held at the University club last night, more than a half a hundred graduates being present. Rev. Dr. J. L. Wilbroe, pastor of the Park street (Congregational) church, this city, the president of the association presided and special guests of the association were: Dr. W. C. Jacobus, dean of the Hartford Theological seminary, and a trustee of Princeton university, and Rev. Samuel C. Bushnell, president of the Yale association of New England.

These officers were elected: President, F. C. Coolidge, '84; vice-presidents, the Rev. J. L. Wilbroe, '60; the Rev. E. H. Rudd, '83; J. C. Wyman, '48; secretary, W. B. Woodbridge, '93; executive committee, Dr. H. M. Cutis, T. C. Chapin, B. R. Miller and Hugh Miller.

DRANK POISON.

WASHINGTON, May 3.—Miss Edith Sutherland, eldest daughter of the late Surgeon General Charles Sutherland, of the army, is dead here from the effects of laudanum poisoning. For several years she suffered from severe spells of despondency. She was 32 years of age.

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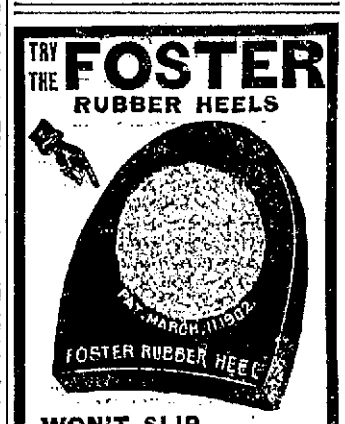

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LOST—A pocketbook between the Five and Ten Cent store and Best's baker store. Return to Sun office and receive reward.

LOST—Sunday night, lady's gold watch with fob and gold locket. Reward at Davis' drug store.

FOUND—Dog, name on collar J. Parker. Owner can have by calling at Broughton avenue.

LOST—Boston & Lowell season ticket between High street and Merrimack street depot. Reward at Sun office.

FOUND—A young Scotch collie. Owner can have by calling at 17 Plain street.

LOST—A small sum of money, April 30, between Concord and Andover streets. Finder please leave at Sun office.

LOST—Gold neck chain with locket and red stone between St. Joseph's college and 187 Salem street. Apply J. Smith, 187 Salem street.

LOST—A pocketbook and sum of money and other articles last Wednesday evening at Huntington hall. The finder will be rewarded by returning to Sun office.

FOUND—A sum of money. Inquire at 101 Market street.

LOST—A pocketbook on or near Lilly avenue April 18. Finder please return to Cloff's bakery, Boynton street, and receive reward.

LOST—Sum of money between Prince and Market street. Finder will be rewarded by returning same to N. Panaretos, 398 Market street.

LOST—On Stevens or Princeton streets, plush robe, black on one side, light on inside, with black border. Please return to Auto station, 195 and 199 Moody street. Reward.

SITUATIONS WANTED

YOUNG English man just landed wants situation, accustomed to factory work. Address J. L. M., Sun office.

WANTED—By a sober man, work on farm. Inquire 888 Broadway.

WANTED—A situation in this city by a respectable middle-aged woman in small family, or would mind child a year old. Inquire at 167 East Merrimack street.

WANTED—To take care of one or two children, good home, no family. Call at Sun office.

WANTED—A situation by a bright young man as clerk, bookkeeper or office assistant. Address C. D., Sun office.

ALL AROUND FEMALE COOK wants situation; experience in hotels and restaurants. Call at rear of 817 Middlesex street.

WANTED—House cleaning by the hour. M. S., 26 Mammoth road.

TO LET

TO LET—One furnished front room and one unfurnished room ensuite. Apply at 353 Bridge street.

WOULD LIKE to rent a tenement of three rooms and stable near Shaw's hosiery. Address Tenement, Sun office.

TO LET—A furnished room in good locality, 94 Butterfield street; this is a rare chance for the right parties.

NEAT, attractive rooms and first-class table board at 242 Appleton street.

TO LET—Tenements in Sidney street, $7 and $7.50 per month. Apply to Asa C. Russell, 381 Wilder street.

TO LET—A large furnished room suitable for man and wife or two men. Apply at 14 Fort Hill avenue.

TO LET—Tenement of 6 rooms at 101 Congress street.

FURNISHED ROOMS—With all modern improvements at 26 W. 5th street; homelike.

TO LET—Centralville, 5 rooms, $1.50 per month; Highlands, 3 rooms, $7 per month; Highlands, 4 rooms, $8 per month; Middlesex street, 3 rooms, $7.50 per month; off Chelmsford street, 4 rooms, $8.50 per month; off Chelmsford street, 3 rooms, $8 per month; Philips street, all modern, 9 rooms, $16 per month; nice house with large barn and hennery and ½ acre of land, plenty of fruit, close to electrics, at Navy Yard, in Dracut. Apply to T. H. Elliott, 64 Central street.

TO LET—At 40 Whipple street, a large sunny front room to one or two girls employed by day.

TO LET—At 63 Howard street, furnished rooms within three minutes' walk of Middlesex station.

TO LET—Cottage, suitable for summer camp, desirable location, five minutes walk to Concord river, three to electrics. Box 163 Billerica Centre.

TO LET—Two furnished rooms at 56 Franklin street.

TO LET—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Address or call at 19 Dutton street, after 6 o'clock.

TO LET—One furnished front and side rooms suitable for small family at 93 John street.

TO LET—A paint shop at 560 Middlesex street, formerly occupied by T. Duvid, painter. Apply to C. J. Connell, 564 Middlesex street.

TO LET—A first class boarding house in good repair, all furnished with curtains, 21 rooms; 612 Central street. Inquire 34 Jackson or 795 Bridge street.

TO LET—Nicely furnished room with all modern conveniences and privileges of a home. 105 Chestnut street.

TO RENT—Nice 4-room tenement, $8, in good neighborhood. Call at 904 Middlesex street. G. P. Walker.

TENEMENTS—Two room and four room tenements, Chestnut square. Inquire 31 Chestnut street.

TO LET—Centralville, 5 rooms, $6.50 per month; Centralville, 3 rooms, $5.50 per month; Concord street, 5 rooms, $9 per month; Highlands, 3 rooms, $7 per month; Highlands, 4 rooms, $7.50 per month; Middlesex street, 8 rooms, $7.50 per month; off Chelmsford street, 4 rooms, $8.50 per month; cottage and barn and 6 acres of land on Chelmsford street, $10; cottage, 6 rooms, on Main street, $8; tenement of 9 rooms, all modern, on Philips street, $16. T. H. Elliott, 64 Central street.

NEWLY FURNISHED ROOM—With board if desired, near city hall. Inquire at Sun office.

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TO LET—Near Dracut navy mill, comfortable tenements, 75 cents per week. Inquire 246 Varnum avenue.

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WANTED—Two ring spinners, experienced on double roving Egyptian. Shaw Stocking Co., yarn dept.

$1 INVESTED in safe enterprise will make $10; larger amounts in proportion; we prove this; positively no mining or betting system. J. F. Lawrence, 112 Michigan avenue, Chicago.

WANTED—To buy gent's second-hand bicycles. Call at Morrison Auto Co., 195-199 Moody street.

THE WHITE SEWING MACHINE CO., 276 Bridge street—Dressmakers, attention—Call and see our fast and light ball bearing rotary machine; the incomparable White exceeds all others for durability and ease; second-hand machines always on hand.

CASH PAID for second-hand furniture, also sold and exchanged. Bornstein & Quinn, 118-120 Gorham street.

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IF YOU WANT your mattresses made over at your home call at 940 Central St.

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WANTED—First-class machinist at W. H. Bagshaw's, 11 Wilson street.

TABLE GIRL—Wanted at 29 Webster street; $4 per week.

WANTED—Clean middle-aged woman to assist housework and children; no washings; going to beach June 1. Apply 3 to 4 p. m. only, 528 Westford street.

WANTED—A man to work on a farm steady work; no milking. Apply to Michael Whelton, Mammoth road, Dracut.

WANTED—Young men to learn pulling over at Stover & Boan's, Hood building, Thorndike street.

WANTED—A man for general farm work, teaming; can furnish tenement; also a girl for general housework. Inquire of H. W. Foster, near the end of car line, Andover street.

WANTED—Two good carpenters for mill work, at once. Shaw Stocking Co.

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RUBBER STAMPS at wholesale prices; 1-in. one line stamps, 15c; 1½ in., 20c; 35c ink pads, 25c; 25c ink pads, 15c; 60c linen markers, 35c; business stamps, 15c per line. J. M. Fellows, 153 Merrimack St.

You can't expect to weave white satin with blackened hands, any more than you can expect good results from papers with a bogus circulation.

BIG CANOE MEET

To be Held at Country Club, Manchester

The annual meet of the American Canoe association has been set for May 28, 29 and 30. At a recent meeting the officers of the association discussed the coming meet and chose committees which will have the matter in charge. Hon. H. P. Dow of Manchester, N. H., is the chairman of the camp site and has selected the location of the camp site on the elevation in the northeast corner of the Country club grounds in Manchester, about a mile above the Amoskeag grounds.

Monday, May 30, will be the day of the races, which will consist of the following: Trophy paddling, single blade, one-half mile; double blade, one man and double blade tandem; single blade in fours; double blade in fours; war canoe for a trophy.

There will be thirty-eight special prizes besides the trophies. The officers in charge of the meet, together with the various committees, are as follows: Commodore, C. F. Walters, Genesee and Rochester Canoe clubs, Rochester, N. Y.; secretary and treasurer, John S. Wright, Irondequoit Canoe club, Rochester, N. Y.; vice commodore, Henri Schneffer, Vesper-Country club and Cygnet Boat club, Manchester, N. H.; rear commodore, H. M. S. Aiken, Quinobequin Canoe club, Boston; purser, Edw. B. Stearns, Cygnet Boat club, Manchester, N. H.

Executive committee—B. F. Jacobs, Jr., Medford Boat club, West Medford, Mass.; D. S. Pratt, Wawbewawa, Wellesley Hills, Mass.; Marcus Butler, Lawrence Canoe club, Lawrence, Mass.; William W. Crosby, Innitou Canoe club, Woburn, Mass.

Board of governors—Paul Butler, of Vesper-Country club, Lowell.

Regatta committee—William W. Crosby, chairman; Innitou Canoe club, Woburn, Mass.; Louis S. Drake, Wawbewawa, Wellesley Hills, Mass.; O. C. Cunningham, Medford Boat club.

Transportation committee—Walter W. Simmons, chairman, Cygnet Boat club, Manchester, N. H.; J. B. Waterbury, Newton Boat club and Tatassit Canoe club, Boston.

Camp site committee—Berry H. Dow, chairman, Cygnet Boat club, Manchester, N. H.; Paul Butler, Vesper Canoe club; A. Elliott Kimberly, Lawrence Canoe club; B. F. Jacobs, Jr., Medford Boat club; H. M. S. Aiken Quinobequin Canoe club, and W. R. Westcott, Cygnet Boat club, Manchester, N. H.

It is expected that this meet will gather some of the most expert canoeists in the country and with good weather prevailing, it will undoubtedly be the event of the season in aquatic sport. This section of the river where this meet will be held is an ideal spot for such a gathering and the result of the meet will be to stimulate interest in this healthy sport.

TO EXTEND RAILROAD.

BINGHAM, Maine, May 2.—Surveys will be made soon for an extension of the Somerset railroad from this town to Birch Point on Moosehead lake opposite Kineo, a distance of 50 miles. Two surveys will be made to determine the cheaper route, but the officials will not state what they will be.

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ELIOT'S ADDRESS

Harvard President on Industrial Conditions

BOSTON, May 3—President Charles W. Eliot of Harvard University, addressed an immense audience in Sanders theatre last evening on "Industrial Conditions of Public Happiness," treating his subject from the standpoint of a believer in the promotion of happiness as the one object to which all human effort should be directed, and criticising in dignified but merciless language the methods of modern trades unionism and other industrial associations whose ends are not in strict accordance with this principle.

Dr. Eliot read his address from manuscript slowly and in clear-cut tones, so that every word was plainly audible in the remotest part of the auditorium. The audience, which filled every seat and occupied every foot of standing room on floor, balcony and gallery, was composed mainly of Harvard students, but there was a generous sprinkling of prominent men and women from outside the university, including many of Boston's labor leaders and representatives of local employers' associations.

It was, withal, a representative and ultra-intelligent gathering, and Dr. Eliot's remarks, which were admittedly academic in character, made a profound impression.

For the most part the address was listened to in absolute silence. Twice the speaker was interrupted for a moment by a small outburst of laughter, but there was no applause during the reading of the paper, the audience remaining apparently fixed, from first to last, in a strained attitude of attention. When Dr. Eliot appeared on the platform, however, he was greeted with a storm of handclapping which lasted until he arose and bowed his acknowledgments and again when he had finished his address his hearers stamped their approval upon his words with prolonged, though not enthusiastic applause.

Dr. Eliot began his address by a statement of what he deems the ultimate object of human society—the promotion of public happiness, which he declared to be liberty, the hope of improving one's lot, stability and good will; and the manner in which employers may aid in or prevent the attainment of these conditions.

He then turned his attention to a discussion of the policies and practices of trade unions in relation to public happiness, and condemned without reserve the methods employed by labor organizations in their strife with organized capital.

The keynote of his address was the misery of the condition of mind which can see no joy in work and looks upon money as the sole incentive to effort.

SLIGHT BLAZE

DID LITTLE DAMAGE AT STATE NORMAL SCHOOL.

A slight fire occurred at the state normal school in Broadway yesterday, some charcoal being ignited in the chemical department. The fire was quickly extinguished, and the only damage done was the burning of a portion of a bench.

ROOF BLAZE.

An alarm from box 5, shortly before seven o'clock last night, was for a slight blaze on the roof of A. L. Brooks' stable in Cushing street. The damage was slight.

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WOMEN'S CLUB

Held Annual Meeting Yesterday

MRS. IDA BARRET ADAMS ELECTED PRESIDENT

To Succeed Mrs. Elizabeth F. Bennett

At the annual meeting of the Middlesex Women's club held yesterday afternoon, the annual reports of the recording and the corresponding secretaries were read. The retiring president, Mrs. Elizabeth F. Bennett, was given a vote of thanks to which she responded gratiously. Votes of thanks were also extended to the three retiring directors, Mrs. Bertha B. Wier, Miss Minnie H. Chandler, and Miss Abbie Morrison.

Resolutions appreciative of Miss Webster's work in connection with the club were adopted.

The following list of officers was elected by ballot: President, Miss Ida Barrett Adams; vice-presidents, Miss M. Frances Shattuck and Mesdames Frances Huntington and Helen M. Lawton; recording secretary, Mrs. Clara T. Jackson; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Anna E. Fay; treasurer, Mrs. Martha M. Pollard; chairman of finance, Mrs. Isabel S. Clark; directors, Mrs. Harriet Spalding Nichols, Miss Emma L. Bradley and Mrs. Mary Caroline Savage.

Mrs. Henry T. Fletcher escorted the new president to the platform, where words of welcome were spoken and the ceremony of delivering of the house keys was held. Mrs. Adams said a graceful acceptance.

The individual members of the council, the governing body of the club, wished to express their regard for and appreciation of the efficient work of Miss Mary A. Webster and flowers were sent by them to Miss Webster's home.

Votes of thanks were given the press for favors shown.

The next meeting of the club will be on the first Monday in October.

BADLY BURNED

AGED WOBURN WOMAN MAY NOT LIVE.

WOBURN, May 3—Mrs. Aaron P. Dickson, aged 72 years, was burned probably fatally at her home, 74 School street, last evening.

Her screams attracted the attention of neighbors who found Mrs. Dickson lying on the kitchen floor, enveloped in flames. Near her were fragments of a broken lamp. Paper and light articles of furniture were blazing.

The flames were extinguished, but not until Mrs. Dickson's clothing had been consumed and her body badly burned.

Mr. Dickson was later found in an unconscious state on the floor of the dining room. Beside him lay an overturned table. It is said he is subject to fits and that in all probability he was overcome by one and fell from the chair, overturning the lamp and throwing the lamp on the floor.

Mrs. Dickson, it is believed, seized the lamp, with the intention of throwing it into the yard, and while she was proceeding through the kitchen it exploded.

Mr. Dickson has not yet completely recovered from his attack and has no recollection of what happened.

"IN HONOR BOUND"

CLEVER PERFORMANCE BY AMATEURS LAST EVENING.

"In Honor Bound," a clever one-act drama, was presented at the Odd Fellows' fair in Odd Fellows' temple in Middlesex street last night. The cast of characters was as follows: "Sir George Carlyon," Mr. Milton R. Corey; "Philip Graham," Mr. Roland W. Black; "Lady Isabel Carlyon," Miss Alice L. Livingstone, and "Rose Dalrymple," Miss Bertha M. Abbott.

Those who took part are well known in local amateur theatricals, and in producing "In Honor Bound" they have simply added another to their already long list of successes. Mr. Milton Corey in the part of "Sir George" was impressive and convincing. Mr. Roland Black as "Philip," the soul of honor, gave a clever portrayal of a difficult part. Miss Alice Livingstone as "Lady Carlyon," who loved not wisely but too well, had the sympathies of the audience with her from the very start. Miss Bertha Abbott's interpretation of the part of "Rose Dalrymple" partook of all the dainty freshness and youthful charm intended by the author. Special credit is due Mr. Black for his work as "Philip," Mr. Nichols being unable to take the part for which he was cast, Mr. Black assumed the role with only two days' notice. The fair continues this evening.

GIRL ELOPED

SHE RAN AWAY WITH A FRESHMAN.

WATERBURY, Ct., May 3.—It came out last night that Miss Helen M. Fry, daughter of Benjamin H. Fry, a wealthy foundry owner of this city, whose home is in Ansonia, N. Y., eloped from the Taconic school at Lakeville, Ct., last Thursday, with Howard C. Crippen, a freshman at the Hotchkiss school. The pair went to Torrington, where they were married by the Rev. Dr. Acherman, pastor of the Congregational church. Miss Fry was supposed to have gone on a visit to her family in Waterbury, who, in turn, presumed that she was at school. Miss Fry is a very handsome young society girl and is well known in this city.

HARRISON LOST

HEARST FACTION GOT CONTROL OF MACHINE.

CHICAGO, May 3—Democratic primaries were held yesterday for the selection of delegates to the state convention.

The fight was practically for the control of the local organization of which Mayor Carter H. Harrison has been the leader.

The returns from the city, which were complete shortly after midnight, show that Hearst has secured 219 delegates and Harrison 192. Nineteen delegates are uninstructed, and of these the Harrison faction claims eight.

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LOWELL'S GREATEST NEWSPAPER

MANY CAR BREAKS

Bad Boys Broke Into Freight Cars

During the past few weeks several cars have been broken into in the yards of the N. Y., N. H. & H. and the B. & M. railroads in this city. The culprits were driven to cover Sunday night when Inspector Walsh assisted by Officers Phil Murphy and Dan Cogger arrested Anton Silva, 15, who lives in Queen street, a brother of Silva and a lad named McDonald, both the latter under 10 years of age. Antone Silva was arrested and his case will be heard on Friday. The other boys will also be examined on that day.

A car was broken into Sunday and it was about the tenth car that has been broken into within the last few weeks. The one broken into Sunday was loaded with copper rolls consigned to the U. S. Cartridge Co. The rolls were too heavy for the boys to manage. Prior to this, however, the boys were more successful in their game of plunder. In one car they broke open a box of merchandise and found several pairs of shoes. These they took and some of them were found in the bed of the Western avenue canal last Sunday. They also found some canned maple syrup and most of this was also thrown into the canal.

ACCOUNTS COMMITTEE

WILL MEET FRIDAY TO APPROVE MONTHLY BILLS.

The committee on accounts will meet on Friday morning at 10 o'clock at the city auditor's office to approve monthly bills and incidentally take action on the bills held up by the committee a couple of months ago.

APPEAL TAKEN

COURT ORDERED THAT TELEPHONE COMPANY BE OUSTED.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., May 3—Chancellor Allison handed down a decision yesterday ordering that the Cumberland Telephone and Telegraph company, a Kentucky corporation, be ousted from the state. An appeal to the Tennessee supreme court was taken.

The grounds for the chancellor's decision are alleged conspiracy to stifle competition and alleged discrimination. A receiver was also asked for, but this was refused for "satisfactory reasons."

It was charged among other things that the company, by alleged illegal acts, had forfeited its charter to do business in Tennessee, a contention upheld by the chancellor.

It was also charged that the defendants had broken down independent concerns elsewhere by methods which they had no right to practice.

SUNDAY GOLF BILL

WAS KILLED IN THE SENATE YESTERDAY.

BOSTON, May 3.—The Sunday golf bill, so called, received a quick knockout blow in the senate yesterday, the senators, byt a vote of 22 to 4, refusing it a third reading. The bill, which had been framed so as to permit all innocent recreation after 1 p. m. on Sundays, was reported favorably by the committee on probate and chancery.

Senator Sullivan, in favor of the bill, claimed that the state was retrograding to the dark days of narrowness and bigotry. No professional games are allowed under the measure, he said, and no harm could come of it.

Senators Bemis of Norfolk and Osgood of Worcester opposed the bill on the ground that the sentiment of New England was against it. Senator Callender of Boston, favoring, observed that for the first time in six years the question of religion had been waived in the discussion of this bill.

SUCCESSFUL OPERATION.

CHICAGO, May 2.—A despatch from Ann Arbor, Mich, says:

Dr. Chas. B. Nancrede, professor of surgery in the medical department of the University of Michigan, has performed with apparently perfect result, a simple operation for the cure of tri-facial neuralgia. The operation consists in the injection of osmic acid into the affected nerve after its exposure by a trivial incision. This method has been introduced only a short time, and this was its first trial at the university hospital.

By tri-facial is meant the nerve that supplies the upper portion of the face.

WORK RESUMED.

FAIRFIELD, Me., May 2.—The United Box Board and Paper Co. started their mill today with a full crew on full time. Portions of the mill had been closed several days while undergoing repairs. Owing to the condition of the water power, the mill had not been running to its capacity since last fall.

FOR DAY NURSERY

The Annual Fair Will Open Tomorrow

FINE PROGRAM ARRANGED FOR EACH DAY

Interesting List of Tables and Many Attractions

The nineteenth annual May Festival of the Day Nursery association of this city will open in Huntington hall tomorrow, May 4, and continue until the following Saturday evening.

There are twelve tables in all, as follows:

CHILDREN'S TABLE.
MANAGERS' TABLE.
GRAB TABLE.
LEMONADE TABLE.
BAG TABLE.
WOMEN'S TABLE.
FANCY CAKE TABLE.
ARTS AND CRAFTS TABLE.
CANDY TABLE.
APRON TABLE.
FLOWER TABLE.
REFRESHMENT DEPARTMENT.

The attendants at the flower table will be: Mrs. W. E. Morse, chairman, Mrs. J. W. Anderson, Mrs. F. J. Sherwood, Mrs. Walter L. Parker, Mrs. Fred N. Morse, Mrs. Cyrus Barton, Mrs. T. F. Harrington, Mrs. D. J. Burke, Mrs. Alfred D. Ware, Mrs. F. F. Munn, Mrs. C. H. Worcester, Mrs. F. L. Danforth, Mrs. C. E. Worden, Mrs. G. L. Fowler, Mrs. P. H. Donohue, Mrs. D. N. Patterson, Mrs. E. K. Humphrey, Mrs. G. L. Van Deusen, Mrs. Anne Coffey, Mrs. Peter Conaton, Mrs. Elvin F. Miller, Mrs. Josia P. MacDonald, Mrs. J. T. Roy, Mrs. H. F. Glidden, Mrs. G. T. Halstead, Mrs. C. H. True, Mrs. J. Hicks, Mrs. Benjamin Benoit, Mrs. E. D. Hapgood, Mrs. William Upham, Mrs. E. J. Clark, Mrs. W. I. Chase, Mrs. Kirk H. Bancroft, Mrs. C. D. Sturbird, Mrs. J. Gordon Bixby, Mrs. F. E. Haines, Mrs. P. L. McBride, Mrs. Albert Hallowell, Miss Florence E. Burtt, Mrs. J. L. Powers, Miss Charlotte P. Kitson, Miss Maude Marshall, Miss Florence Cooke, Miss Lillian Treworgy, Miss Florence Flannigs, Miss Ethel A. Morse, Miss Nora M. Watson, Miss Mabel Hall, Miss Bertha Frame, Miss Viola Baton, Miss Blanche Dextra, Miss Edith Morse, Miss Maud Pearl, Miss Florence G. Young, Miss Bertha Runels, Miss Alice Gray, Miss M. Blanche Grogan, Miss Emily B. Wrigley, Miss Anna Welch, Miss Nellie Leary, Miss Mildred L. McMahon, Miss Jennie C. Alexander, Miss Clarnie I. Silk, Miss Blanche Abbott, Miss Elena Abbott, Miss Ruth Favor, Miss Helen Gegenheimer, Miss Evelyn Oper, Miss Julia Richardson, Miss Ethel Stevens, Miss Mary Spaulding, Miss Vera Wood, Miss Bernice M. Walker, Miss Zeta Danforth, Miss Jessie G. Hanson, Miss Lillie Cooke, Miss Jennie L. Hoyt, Miss Lena A. Munroe, Miss Crystal Dean, Miss Catherine Crowley, Miss Florence Knowlton, Miss Charlotte Sherman, Miss Mollie Johnson, Miss Maud Coburn, Miss Emma McLean, Miss Elsie May Grant, Miss Hattie May Lewis, Miss Lillian May Goodwin, Miss Harriet Morse, Miss Mansfield, Miss Wood, Miss Maud Hadley, Percy J. Munn, Charles Barlow, Joseph Maloney.

A floral march will be the feature of the opening night, which will be followed by fancy dances, the program being under the direction of Miss L. Blanche Perrin. A competitive drill will also be held followed by general dancing.

The bazaar will be opened on Thursday evening at five o'clock and later an operetta, "Far Away in Wonderland," will be presented.

There will be a whist tournament Friday afternoon, while Saturday evening will be devoted to the usual High school ball, preceded by a prize drill, open to the first year privates of the High school. There will be dancing every evening.

The board of management is: Col. A. M. Chadwick, chairman; Mrs. Julian Talbot, vice-chairman; Rev. L. C. Manchester, Rev. A. St John Chambre, A. L. Bachelder, Mrs. D. B. Bartlett, Mrs. Benjamin Walker, Mrs. S. T. Brown, Mrs. A. E. Rose, Mrs. J. V. Keyes, Mrs. F. E. Plunkett, Mrs. B. R. Benner, Mrs. J. L. Chalifoux, Miss N. P. A. Robbins; committee on entertainment and decorations, Mrs. Julian Talbot, Mrs. A. E. Rose, Mrs. B. R. Benner.

COTTON FUTURES.

NEW YORK, May 2.—Cotton futures opened easy. May, 13.40; June offered 13.52; July, 13.66; Aug., 13.32; Sept., 11.90; Oct., 11.36; Nov., ——; Dec., 11.21; Jan., 11.24.

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GRETH'S AIRSHIP

Made a Trial Trip at San Francisco

SAN FRANCISCO, May 3—Dr. Greth started to make a trip of 50 miles to San Jose in his airship yesterday, but after travelling about five miles some slight disarrangement of the machinery was discovered and the aerial voyager landed safely. Dr. Greth was accompanied by Engineer Frederick Belcher. He was satisfied with the results of this experimental flight because he accomplished a good deal more than on former occasions and concluded that he was working in the right direction. He ascended at 8.10 a. m., with the car attached to a rope to prevent doing damage to houses.

When the rope was cast off Dr. Greth made a circular figure about a quarter of a mile in circumference and started for the south at high speed.

Everything went well until the airship arrived off Blankens six-mile house on the San Bruno road. It was then going rapidly toward San Jose, but a small valve suddenly gave way, causing the airship to stop. After the inventor and engineer had tried to repair the break, the fans were started and the ship descended. Witnesses of the descent said that the airship came down gradually and touched the ground gently. Nothing was injured either in the car or about the gas bag. Dr. Greth said that what broke could not be repaired without certain tools, and he deemed it expedient to descend. The fans and the rudder are to be enlarged in order that the ship may be more dirigible.

ANNUAL DINNER

OF THE SOCIETY OF MANILA BAY.

WASHINGTON, May 3.—The resident members of the Society of Manila Bay, an organization of naval officers who participated in the battle of Manila on May 1, 1898, had their annual dinner at the Raleigh hotel last night. Sixteen of the 107 officers who were aboard the United States vessels on that memorable occasion, joined in reminiscent talk. Admiral George Dewey presided. The others present included Admirals Coghlan, Lamberton, Walker, Dyer, Entwistle and Ford, Paymaster Wise, Dr. Marsteller, Lieut. Commander John Gibson, Lieutenants Haywood, Butler, Ridgeley and Babin, and Representative Loud of Michigan who at the time of the battle was paymaster on the McCulloch. The society decided hereafter to hold its celebration on May 1st, regardless of the day, a postponement from Sunday to yesterday having been made out of deference to the wishes of some of the members who preferred that the dinner should not be held on Sunday. A toast was drunk to Admiral Dewey, and one in silence to the ten officers who participated in the battle, but have died since then.

GOING TO HAVANA.

WASHINGTON, May 3—In accordance with instructions in the navy department Rear Admiral Jewel, commanding the European squadron, will leave Pensacola in a day or two on a visit of courtesy to Havana, Cuba. In addition to his flagship Olympia, he will take the battleship Alabama and the cruiser Cleveland.

ICE PACK BROKEN.

HALIFAX, N. S., May 3.—A special from Sydney, C. B., says the ice pack on the Cape Breton coast was broken by the heavy gale of Sunday, and yesterday nine steamers which were in the ice reached this port of Louisburg.

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SENT TO JAIL

MAN STRUCK GIRL WHO RESENTED INSULT.

BROCKTON, May 3.—In police court yesterday Roy Wellington was charged with drunkenness and assault on Miss Florence A. Merrion. He was fined $10 for drunkenness and sent to the house of correction for two months for assault.

According to the testimony he made an offensive remark to the young woman Saturday evening and when she slapped his face he struck her in the mouth and chest, so that she fell unconscious. James G. Love ran to her assistance and called another man who stopped Wellington.

GOT VERDICT

MISS MAE WOOD WAS AWARDED $75.

NEW YORK, May 3.—Justice Finn yesterday gave a verdict of $75 and costs in favor of Miss Mae C. Wood in her suit against William H. F. Holme for money that she alleged she loaned Mr. Holme while promoting the interests of a water company. Miss Wood is the young woman who was said to have threatened a breach of promise suit against Senator Platt just before he married Mrs. Janeway.

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The sworn daily average circulation of The Lowell Sun for the year 1903, was **14,590** A gain of 1063 copies per day over the average for the year of 1902.

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☞An advertisement placed in The Sun is of more value to the advertiser than if it were inserted in all the other newspapers in Lowell, and the cost of inserting it in The Sun is about ONE THIRD the price charged by the other papers.

Mayor Howe cannot much longer withhold his choice of police commissioner; but common report has made his choice known long ago. Is common report to be relied upon?

HUMBUGGING THE PUBLIC.

The following from Practical Politics calls atention to what everybody must have noticed who has read Hearst's Boston paper:

Congressman Hearst's alleged newspaper, in view of the democratic convention results, stands in the unenviable position of a discredited publication in this community. Its sources of information were fully as adequate for the obtaining of the actual facts relative to the delegate campaign as those of other dailies, in Boston and elsewhere throughout the state. Instead of being told the facts, which the Boston American, if it is alive to its business, presumably possessed in common with the other papers, its readers were given a mass of mis-statements and distortions daily, what purported to be news reports being editorial perversions, and the true situation could only be learned by its readers from the other newspapers of the state. For such an organ the name "American" is a misnomer. Hearst's paper, in its attitude toward the news features of his abortive campaign in Massachusetts, has been decidedly un-American in the eyes of all newspaper men and those citizens who hope that the word stands for square dealing with the public and with one's fellowmen.

It is true that in regard to the convention and to the number of Hearst delegates throughout the state, the paper referred to published the most palpable falsehoods. Practical Politics, however, seems to assume that this was an exceptional case of falsification by Hearst's paper; but on the contrary it was merely a local application of that paper's regular and habitual mode of falsifying in order to sustain its own contentions or to make the news of the day more sensational than it really is. It shows to what extent the public can be humbugged when people are found to accept the statements of such a discredited organ.

A NO-SCHOOL SIGNAL FOR PRIMARY SCHOOLS ONLY.

Experience during the past winter has demonstrated the necessity of having a separate no-school signal for the primary and a general signal for the grammar and High schools.

It is not to be expected that the children of the primary schools can venture as much in wet or stormy weather as can the children of the grammar and High schools.

Very often has the no-school signal been sounded when the pupils of the grammar and High schools could have attended without risk or injury.

Hence, therefore, it would be well to have a special no-school signal for the primary schools only and another to be general. This might prevent the complaints so often heard when all the schools are closed on account of what some may consider an insufficient reason. Such a signal might be confusing at first, but the people would soon become accustomed to it and distinguish as they can the different hours of the day when struck from the town clocks.

LESSONS OF THE NO-LICENSE YEAR.

The no-license year of 1903-4 is now a thing of the past, but it has left behind its various lessons.

One thing demonstrated during the year was, that whenever the police show a determination to stop liquor selling they can do so except away from public gaze, under cover and in a manner which must prove quite unprofitable. Another thing made quite clear is that it is possible in a few years to break the vast bulk of the people who patronize the open saloons of the habit of drinking and cause them to drink, if at all, with moderation in their own homes.

The quantity of liquor sold and consumed in a no-license year is trifling when compared with the quantity sold in a license year. Furthermore, it has been proved that whenever the liquor dealers use their position for political purposes, or when the license commission offends the sensibilities of the community, the people will vote no-license. Whenever a candidate in whom the people are interested is defeated through the efforts of the liquor element, the people will endeavor to get revenge by voting no-license.

The best lesson which the liquor dealers can draw from a year of no-license is to attend strictly to their own business, to let politics alone, 'to obey the law to the letter, and to avoid, as far as possible, the abuses that have been attached to the business in the past.

HOW MUCH IS THERE IN IT FOR ME?

Of late years since men try their coffers to fill
At cost of the general good,
There is an expression of self-seeking skill
Which formerly few understood;
Honest measures and men
Were alone thought of then,
But, on all hands what now do we see?
In the scramble for pelf
Every man asks himself
How much is there in it for me?

You'll hear loud declaiming 'gainst Trusts and Combines
By candidates seeking for aid,
They'll tell those who toil in the shops and the mines
That in ruins all trusts should be laid
But, when once on the Hill,
And some trust wants a bill,
How their minds change no mortal can see.
But they'll say to the Trust,
"Come right down with the dust,"
Or, how much is there in it for me?

The above verses are from a little poem by Edward Fitzwilliam, formerly of Lowell, but now of Boston. They refer to the change which candidates undergo after election and how little they think of their pledges to the people.

Before election the candidates are ready to promise everything; after election they are ready to deny everything they promised. They forget their promises and their pledges and in passing upon important measures, they are influenced mainly by a single consideration—How much is there in it for me?"

If the whole question of political corruption in city, state and nation were sifted down to its prime elements, this query, "How much is there in it for me," would be found to be at the bottom. It is at the bottom of the free gift of great franchises, at the bottom of the chartering of great combines to control transportation facilities; at the bottom of the special legislation by which one class is robbed for the benefit of another class.

The whole problem then of reform in municipal state and national government, comes down to a question of securing honest and representative men to represent the people in the various legislative and executive bodies. We say "executive" also, for experience has shown that it is of no use to have good laws unless they are strictly enforced.

At the present time we see the anti-trust laws practically a dead letter because the trusts have dictated the appointments of the various executive official from the attorney general of the United States down to the lowest official who has to do with the existence or the business of the trusts. This will continue just as long as the people elect men to office who sell out their interests on every opportunity.

SEEN AND HEARD

May is one of the four months this year which has five Sundays.

Many June brides are preparing their trousseaus.

The opening of the liquor saloons in this city will cause a slight drop in the receipts of the Lawrence saloons.

Suspicious fires and false alarms are becoming altogether too numerous in Lowell. A little detective work and a few arrests might put a stop to them.

The first victim of the bartender was reported yesterday with the opening of the liquor saloons—an unfortunate had his head split open with a whiskey bottle.

Many young men employed in this city will have to attend the "funeral" of their aunt, uncle, sister or grandfather from now on, as the New England baseball season opens in this city tomorrow.

The old farmer's almanac predicted the rains of the past week and it predicts that cool weather, light rains will prevail until May 9, when we may "expect a change to warmer." We shall see.

A palatial residence in this city which is dark during about eleven months of the year, has been brilliantly illuminated for the past several nights. The owner resides in New York, but is in Lowell now so as to be taxed as a resident of this city.

There are approximately 23,600 members in the Royal Arcanum in Massachusetts, and the three leading councils n the race for first place are Equity of Springfield, with 711 members, Lowell 8, 709 and Industry 698. The councils in Lowell made 24 1-2 per cent. of the net gain of the state during the last year.

Several Sunday recreation bills have been killed in the legislature, but there is one under consideration which is very favorably regarded by legislators. It permits harmless sport on private premises, provided no admission fee is charged and the participants receive no compensation. A local attorney says this bill looks harmless enough, but as a matter of fact it opens the door pretty wide. Under it baseball can be played, as in New York, where no admission is charged, but every spectator must buy a score card for 50 cents each.

HE LEFT $40,000

CABMAN DROVE GOVERNORS BUTLER AND RUSSELL.

BOSTON, May 3.—Mrs. Nella M. Leah, one of the nieces of the late Albert B. Kent, gave her testimony yesterday in the probate court before Judge McKim in the Kent will case.

Mr. Kent was 81 years of age at his death. In the olden time as a cabman, he always drove General Benjamin F. Butler. Another regular patron of his was the late Governor Russell. He was one of the best known cabmen of the West End and was highly respected at the Revere House.

The estate proved to value about $40,000.

Mr. Kent made a will in 1880, another in 1892, and still another in 1899. He was a bachelor and had a great love for his niece.

Mrs. Leah stated she had been employed by Jordan, Marsh & Co., and afterward by Madame Celeste. Subsequently she went to live with her uncle.

The hearing was adjourned to this morning.

ANNUAL OUTING

MERRIMACK VALLEY BOARD OF TRADE ARRANGES FOR IT.

Representatives of the Merrimack Valley board of trade met Saturday afternoon to make preliminary arrangements for the annual outing of the boards.

H. F. Hildreth, president of the Lawrence board, was elected chairman, and Secretary Benjamin Hodgman of the Lowell board, was elected secretary.

The presidents and secretaries of the six boards were made an executive committee and Secretary Charles H. Littlefield of the Lawrence board was made secretary of the committee.

It was voted to held an outing at Canoble Lake on some day during the latter part of June.

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Many think the new Morris rocker is more comfortable than the chair. The rocker is pushing the chair hard for the place of the favorite. Oak and mahogany finished frames solidly built. Reversible cushions in the seat and back covered in velour or French tapestry. These comfort rockers are $10.00, $11.00 and $12.00.

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BOWLING GAMES

Welch Wonders Defeated in a Fast Game

One of the hottest games in the series between the Welch Wonders and Connemaras was rolled off on the private alleys at Les Miserables in East Merrimack street last night and it was anyone's game right up to the last box, but the Connemaras showed their superiority and won out by a margin of 16 pins.

The first string found the Connemaras five pins behind the Wonders and in the second string the Wonders rolled up 22 more than their opponents, and with 27 pins to the good the Wonders thought they had the game clinched, but they did not figure on the storm that Sergt. Connors was going to turn on in the last string. During the first and second strings the sergeant rolled 135 and 127 and his opponents thought that he was all in, but the honor of his team was at stake and getting sick of being guyed by everyone in Merrimack square over the numerous defeats of his team, he shook the kinks out of his legs and rolled the balls down the alleys with such speed and accuracy that it is understood that more than one alley boy and several spectators had narrow escapes from being killed, but Sergt. Connors got there just the same and when the smoke of the battle had cleared away it was found that he had scored 201 in the last string and thereby won the game for his team.

Despite the fact that Sergt. Connors made a record-breaking run in the last string, his three string total did not reach that made by Peters, the latter having three pins over his captain. McKay and Cawley were tie at the end of the contest and Bart. Ryan was able to roll but 437 as his slippers were out of condition.

For the vanquished team Tom Atkinson was high man with Mike Burns second, but Martin Maher was away off color, the star bowler of the team being able to put up a three string total of but 408 pins. Deputy Welch, the captain of the Wonders, did not do much better than Maher, his total being 415. Dave Donaldson was middle man with 447.

The score:

CONNEMARAS.

	1	2	3	Total
Connors	135	127	201	463
McKay	152	126	139	417
Ryan	147	137	153	437
Cawley	113	133	141	417
Peters	142	180	144	466
Totals	719	703	778	2200

WONDERS.

	1	2	3	Total
Welch	149	134	133	416
Atkinson	177	157	134	468
Burns	160	137	154	451
Donaldson	127	145	175	447
Maher	111	152	145	408
Totals	724	725	741	2190

THE MOHAWKS WON.

The Waterloos met their Waterloo last night when they met the Mohawks, as the tribe with the Indian title won the contest by 24 pins. Marsden of the winning team with a single string total of 103 was high man, his three string total being 294. Several singles of 100 were made during the game.

The score:

MOHAWKS.

	1	2	3	Total
Simpson	75	92	98	265
McGrail	80	100	79	259
Marsden	92	103	99	294
Howarth	78	80	86	243
Campbell	84	88	93	266
Totals	409	463	454	1326

WATERLOOS.

	1	2	3	Total
Mansur	90	81	100	271
Fowler	82	87	96	265
Snowman	91	76	84	241
Singleton	82	94	100	276
Dumont	86	74	89	249
Totals	421	412	469	1302

CHRISTIAN HILL WON.

The Christian Hill bowlers defeated the bowlers of the Boott on the Vesper alleys last night by a score of 1231 to 1202. Fred Grover was in the lineup of the winning team and was high man for his team, but Kirby of the losing team was the particular shining light, his three string total of 272 being the best made during the game; his single string of 93 was also the highest made during the game.

The score:

CHRISTIAN HILL.

	1	2	3	Total
Peabody	77	66	80	223
Lamson	87	81	87	255
Grover	88	90	90	268
Bean	82	83	76	241
Wight	87	77	80	244
Totals	421	397	413	1231

BOOTT.

	1	2	3	Total
Welherbee	75	75	80	230
McOsker	68	76	77	221
Kirby	90	89	93	272
Peterson	68	72	78	218
King	91	88	82	261
Totals	332	400	410	1202

MINOR STRIKE

PAINTERS AND PLUMBERS WANT MORE PAY.

WOONSOCKET, R. I., May 2.—Two strikes of minor importance began in this city today, a total of about 60 men going out. Painters to the number of 30 have left their work in the shops of E. N. Slocum, P. J. Fleurant and H. Calder Pierce, who had refused to grant their demands for more wages. The other boss painters acquiesced in the men's demands. The painters ask for $2.50 for inside work and $2.25 for outside work per day. About thirty plumbers, steam and gas fitters with a number of helpers have left their work, their request for an eight-hour day and a limit wage of $3 a day having been refused.

THE ORPHEUS RAISED.

HALIFAX, N. S., May 3.—A special from North Sydney says that the Gloucester fishing schooner Orpheus, which was sunk in the harbor a week ago by collision with a large ice cake, was successfully raised yesterday and towed to Ingrahams dock.

29TH ANNIVERSARY

OF THE ELEVATION OF ARCHBISHOP WILLIAMS.

Yesterday marked the 29th anniversary of the elevation of Archbishop Williams to the archbishopric. The venerable prelate spent the day quietly at his residence at the Cathedral of the Holy Cross. He celebrated a low mass during the early portion of the morning, as is his daily custom, and later received a few callers. The archbishop continues to enjoy good health, despite his 83 years, and finds it necessary to depart but very little from the routine of duties which he has followed for many years.

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They're good form with any suit and there's no suit they go with better than a blue one.

Here is a stunning show of the new waistcoats in duck, pique and new mercerized fabrics, of white, white with small figures, Champagne, gray, drab and tan — from Rogers, Peet & Co., and other good makers, $1.00 to $4.00 each.

MR. CASEY HURT

THROWN FROM HORSE ON APPLETON STREET.

Thomas Casey, the well-known expressman, had a narrow escape from being seriously injured last evening about five o'clock, while riding his horse through Gorham street. Mr. Casey was riding horseback and had just turned from Appleton street into Gorham when the horse slipped on the car track, throwing Mr. Casey to the pavements.

Mr. Casey struck on his head and was carried at once into Moor's drug store ,directly near the scene of the accident. There restoratives were applied, bringing Mr. Casey from the trance he had suddenly gone into. A slight cut over the right eye was the only visible sign of injury. The horse, also scratched, ran up Appleton street and was finally caught.

MATRIMONIAL

Mr. George Gravell and Miss Amanda Lacerte were united in marriage yesterday morning in St. Joseph's rectory. Rev. Fr. Dias, O. M. I., officiated at the ceremony. The bride wore white muslin trimmed with lace and carried roses. She was attended by her brother, Mr. H. A. Lacerte, and the groom's witness was Mr. Vital Contu. After the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Philomene Lacerte, 74 Gershom avenue and a wedding breakfast was served. The young couple will make a wedding tour of East Pepperell and Nashua and on their return will reside at 74 Gershom avenue.

DESAULNIERS—BERNARD.

At St. Joseph's church at 6.30 yesterday morning Rev. Fr. Viand, O. M. I., officiated at the marriage of Mr. Philias Desaulniers and Miss Ernistine Bernard.

The bride wore a becoming gown of white silk, with veil, and carried bride roses. Her father, Mr. Joseph Bernard, of Yamachiche, Que., was her witness, while Mr. Pierre Bernard was the groom's attendant.

In the evening the young couple held a reception at the home of Mr. Pierre Bernard, 18 Phoebe avenue, a very large party of friends being present to offer congratulations. Mr. and Mrs. Desaulniers will reside in Ford street.

PERRIN—AYOTTE.

The marriage of Mr. Henri Perrin and Miss Donida Ayotte, took place yesterday morning at 7 o'clock in St. Joseph's church, Rev. Fr. Graton, O. M. I., performing the ceremony. The bride was attended by her father, Joseph Ayotte, who gave her away. The groom's witness was Mr. Lucien Pichu.

The bride wore a beautiful white silk gown, and wore a veil. A musical program was given during the ceremony by the choir of the Congregation de Notre Dame de Lourdes, to which the bride belonged.

The wedding dinner, followed by a reception to a very large number of friends, took place at the residence of the bride's father in Ward street. Mr. and Mrs. Perrin have received a number of useful and costly gifts. They will reside in Ward street.

ST. ONGE—LAROCHE.

Mr. Lucien St. Onge and Miss Exelia Laroche were united in marriage at St. Joseph's church yesterday by Rev. Fr. Lamothe, O. M. I., chaplain of the Congregation de Notre Dame de Lourdes, of which the bride is a member and the ceremony was followed by a nuptial mass.

The bride wore a pearl gray cashmere gown, trimmed with white chiffon, and wore a corsage bouquet of white carnations. She was attended by Mr. Theophile Lucier, and the groom's witness was Mr. Alfred St. Onge.

After the ceremony breakfast was served at the home of Mr. Lucier, 98 Hall street. Mr. and Mrs. St. Onge who have received many beautiful wedding gifts, will reside at 22 Hall street.

ADDITIONAL PRIZES DISTRIBUTED.

The prizes offered by the candy table at the recent carnival in aid of St. John's hospital were disposed of last night at the home of Mrs. C. W. Brown, 185 Andover street. The prize winners were as follows: Prayer book, Mr. Thomas Ramsay, Hotel Belvidere; embroidered table cover, Rev. E. A. Dorgan, O. M. I.; bust, Mr. W. Baker, Appleton street; case of soap, Mr. John Simpson, 113 Fulton street; bust of Shakespeare, Mr. Will Whittet, Wentworth avenue; sofa pillow, Mrs. William Murphy, Westford street; embroidered centre piece, Mrs. Hickey, Pleasant street; lunch cloth, Mt. Mellick embroidery, Baby Leslie Donnelly, 71 Dover street; painted cider jug, Mr. Andrew H. Gray, Tolman avenue.

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AT 75c YARD—1 lot extra fine satin finish, silver-bleached Damask, extra wide, usual price $1.25 a yard.

AT $1.25 DOZEN—1 lot of 125 dozen 20-in. silver-bleached Napkins, hemmed ready for use, regular price $1.75 dozen.

AT 75c DOZEN—1 lot 75 dozen full-bleached, all linen Napkins, sold elsewhere at $1.25 dozen.

AT 25c EACH—1 lot 15 dozen hemstitched, extra fine satin finish Damask Tray Cloths, never sold less than 50c each.

AT 59c YARD—Vendetta Suitings, 50 inches wide, all wool mixtures of blue, grey, red, green and black and white, regular value 75c yard.

AT $1.00 YARD—250 yards Panne Velvets, assorted colors, always sold at $1.50 yard.

AT 75c YARD—300 yards Silk Velvets, assorted colors, regular value $1.25 yard.

AT 19c YARD—Fancy Mercerized Lining for skirts, former prices 39c, 49c, 59c and 75c yard.

AT 12½c YARD—Sea Island Percaline, all colors, regular value 19c yard.

AT 12½c YARD—Watered Moire in all colors, regular value 25c yard.

AT 37½c EACH—1 case of Men' Ecru Jersey Ribbed Shirts, long sleeves, drawers to match with double-seat, regular value 50c each.

AT 15c YARD—Fancy Ginghams in stripes, all colors, regular value 25c yard.

AT 10c AND 12½c YARD—Fancy Ginghams in stripes and plaids, regular 15c and 19c quality.

AT 19c YARD—Fancy Ginghams in stripes, handsome colorings, regular value 33c yard.

AT 59c YARD—Storm Serges, warranted all wool, regular value 75c yard.

AT 50c YARD—English Mohair, 50 inches wide, regular value 75c yard.

AT 39c YD.—All-Wool Voiles; colors, castor, nile, blue, grey, cadet, brown and champagne, regular value 50c yard.

AT 39c YARD—All-Wool Nun's Veiling in colors, champagne, blue, grey, etc., regular value 50c yard.

AT 25c EACH—1 case Men's Ecru Jersey Ribbed Shirts, long sleeves, drawers to match, double seat, would be good value at 37½c each.

BLUE LETTER DAY WITH DOUBLE STAMPS WEDNESDAY

AN EASY VICTORY

Lowell Played all Around New Bedford

BUSHEY PITCHED AN EXCELLENT GAME

And He Received Gilt Edged Support From Team

NEW BEDFORD, May 3—The Lowell team played rings around the home team yesterday and won with ease. The weather was cold ,a sharp breeze blowing across the diamond, but Bushey can pitch in a snow storm and yesterday he was encouraged by the excellent support given him by the other members of his team.

The infield played a brilliant game, and the out eld was equally fine.

On the other hand, while New Bedford's infield was sharp enough, the outfield was decidedly weak. Doe tried two young pitchers and the Lowells ate them up, while the good ones hugged the bench. Doe was much disappointed to find that he couldn't beat them without his stars.

Hickey was the star of the game, both in the field and at the bat. Grandpa Lake put up a magnificent game and his two bagger in the first, practically won the game. The score:

LOWELL.

	ab.	r.	bh.	po.	a.	e.
Connors 3b	4	2	1	2	2	0
Bigbie lf	4	2	2	3	1	0
Grant cf	5	0	1	2	0	0
Hickey 2b	4	1	3	3	5	0
Lake 1b	5	0	3	5	1	0
McLaughlin ss	5	0	1	2	2	0
Dwyer rf	5	0	0	3	0	0
McGovern c	4	2	1	7	1	0
Bushey p	2	1	2	0	0	0
Totals	38	8	14	27	12	0

NEW BEDFORD.

	ab.	r.	bh.	po.	a.	e.
Gulheen cf	4	0	0	3	0	1
Murphy ss	4	1	2	2	4	0
Valdois 2b	5	0	0	5	1	0
Mullaney rf, lf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Conroy 1b	4	0	2	13	1	0
Wilson c	3	0	0	1	4	0
Dunbar lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Burrill rf	2	0	2	2	0	0
Kehoe 3b	3	0	0	1	5	0
Clooim p	2	0	1	0	2	0
Connolly p	1	0	1	0	2	0
*Friend	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	32	1	8	27	19	1

*Friend batted for Clooim in sixth.

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Lowell	2	0	0	1	1	0	1	3	0	—8
New Bedford	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	—1

Earned runs, Lowell 4, New Bedford 1. Three-base hit, McGovern. Two-base hits, Lake, Hickey, Conroy. Sacrifice hit, Dunbar. Stolen bases, Murphy, Bigbie. First base on balls, by Clooim 4, by Connolly 2, by Bushey 6. Struck out, by Clooim 1, by Bushey 6. Double plays, Kehoe, Valdois and Conroy; Conroy and Burrill. Time, 2. Umpire, McCloud. Attendance, 500.

MANCHESTER 6, LAWRENCE 2.

LAWRENCE, May 3—The misjudgment of a long fly by Hart in centre field gave Manchester yesterday's game by the score of 6 to 2. Both teams were a little lax in fielding, but the battery work was good. Coveny excelled in batting. The score:

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Manchester	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	—6
Lawrence	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	—2

Earned runs, Manchester 3, Lawrence 1. Two-base hits, Dillon, McMahan. Stolen bases, Graham, Cops. Double plays, Derby and Birmingham; Cote, Knau and Havesty; Sylvester, Knau and Havesty. First base on balls, off Derby 1. Hit by pitched ball, Sylvester. Struck out, by Listh 9, by Derby 6. Passed balls, Coveny 1. Time, 1.51. Umpire, Rudderham. Attendance, 600.

CONCORD 10, HAVERHILL 7.

HAVERHILL, May 3—The pitching of Cross enabled Concord to defeat Haverhill yesterday. For six innings Cross held the home team down to two hits and no runs. In the last three innings, however, Haverhill succeeded in batting him more freely. Score:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Concord	0	0	1	1	4	0	1	3	*	—10
Haverhill	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	3	2	—7

Earned runs—Concord 1, Haverhill 2. Two-base hits—Sheets, Newton, Wallace, Hamilton, Connaughton. Three-base hits—Pulsifer, Sheets. Home run—Kane. Stolen bases—Lovell, Dorgan 3, Elliott 2, Noblitt, Newton, Hamilton 2. Double plays—Maroney, Connaughton and Callahan; Elliott and Lovell. Struck out—By Cross 8, by McGinnity 1, by Maroney 1. Passed balls—Wiley. Wild pitches—Cross, Maroney. Time—2.00. Umpire—McDermott. Attendance—600.

NASHUA 8, FALL RIVER 6.

FALL RIVER, May 3—Nashua defeated Fall River yesterday through poor fielding of the local team. In the seventh inning Pastor collided with Riccius, the Fall River catcher, and the latter's right forearm was fractured. Fields was substituted. Three-base hits by Iott and Pastor, and double plays by Moorehead and Weddidge were the features. The score:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Nashua	1	1	1	0	0	0	5	0	*	—8
Fall River	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	2	—6

Earned runs—Nashua 1, Fall River 1. Two base hits—Carroll and Soffel. Three-base hits—Iott and Pastor. Stolen bases—Pastor, Coughlin 2. Double plays—Moorehead, Hanks and Weddidge; Weddidge and Moorehead. Hit by pitched ball—Wilson, Warren, Riccius. First base on balls—Off Swope 4, off Courneen 2. Struck out—By Swope 6, Courneen 2. Passed ball—Riccius. Time—2.00. Umpire—Kearns. Attendance—600.

NEW ENGLAND LEAGUE.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Nashua	2	0	1.000
Manchester	2	0	1.000
Fall River	1	1	.500
Lawrence	1	1	.500
Lowell	1	1	.500
Concord	1	1	.500
New Bedford	0	2	.000
Haverhill	0	2	.000

DIAMOND NOTES.

Billy Merritt caught an errorless game yesterday, accepting every chance. He played the five cent ball game at his establishment in East Merrimack street and his uniform consisted of an apron and white coat. The local papers have been saying considerable of Merritt's future on the diamond and are guessing as to what the outcome will be. Merritt claims that Manager Lake last year volunteered to give the team a certain amount of money if they won the pennant. The pennant was won but Merritt claims the premium was not forthcoming and that he will not play with the team until it is.

GAMES TODAY.

(New England League.)

Lowell at New Bedford.
Manchester at Lawrence.
Concord at Haverhill.
Nashua at Fall River.

CITY CHAMPIONSHIP

GAME BEING ARRANGED BETWEEN THE CESCENTS AND EMMETS.

The Crescents and the Emmets are arranging for a baseball game to be played on the Fair Grounds the morning of Memorial day for a purse of money and the city championship. If the game eventuates, Joe Cronin will pitch for the Emmets and Kearns for the Crescents.

AMATEUR BASE BALL

The Sagamores defeated the Ayer City, Jrs., Saturday afternoon by a score of 8 to 4. The feature of the game was the catching by Reynolds and the pitching by Gill. We would like to play any team in the city under 16 years of age. The lineup: J. Reynolds c, T. Gill and H. Bickford p and 2b, E. Wright 1b, J. Hill ss, J. Coughlin 3b, J. Beauparient m, W. McNulty lf, R. Brown rf. We will play the Ayer City Jrs. for $1.00 per side next Saturday. Send all challenges through this paper.

Well! Well! What do you think of this? The Ayer Citys played the Sagamore Pets and beat them 19 to 4. We wanted to play for a dollar a side but they said, "Oh, we don't get any spending money." We would like to play any team in the city under the age of 15. Our lineup is, respectively, E. O'Brien c, J. O'Brien p, J. Burke 1b, J. McNulty 2b, Leo Lohre 3b, Pete Gill lf, T. Alexander ss, J. Jocko cf, W. Jocko rf. Send all challenges to E. O'Brien, 242 West London street, city.

As both of the above teams claim to have won they should get together and play it off without loss of time.

The Pawtucket Blues beat the Crimsons Saturday by a score of 12 to 10. The lineup is as follows: G. Davidson c, G. Tanner p, C. LaDuke 1b, J. Cummings 2b, F. Holte 3b, S. Paradis ss, C. Wilson lf, S. Davis cf, S. Pluff rf. Girarde Lew umpired. The Crimsons might win a few games if they played fair, but not by cheating.

The Clintons of Pawtucketville defeated the strong Centralville Blues by a score of 7 to 6.

The Young Eagles would like to play any team in the city, including J. Carney's Bassets. If the Bassets claim the championship of the city under 13 let them play us for fun or money. So Carney, if your team wants a game for Saturday afternoon or morning speak up, please. The lineup is: Jas. Clarke c, Jack O'Dea p and 3b, Jack Lawrenson 1b, Jack Hudson 2b, Jack Tucker 3b, Jack Dealeney lf, J. Merrill rf, E. Brennan ss and p, C. McArde cf, R. Susa sub, J. Hudson mascot. Send challenges to the Sun.

The St. Peter altar boys have organized for the season of 1904, and would like to play any team in the city under 15 years of age, and the lineup is as follows: F. Morriss c, F. Brady p and captain, G. Harrington 1b, J. Fahey ss, J. Donohoe 2b, C. Kirby 3b, L. Fox rf, J. O'Connell cf, J. Gilbride rf; subs, J. Quinn, A. Martin, J. Frawley, J. Bergen and G. Allen. Send all challenges to George Kirby, 391 Gorham street.

The Short Street Jrs. have orgarized for the season of 1904 and are ready to play any team under 14 years of age. The Short Street Jrs. have a great pitcher in Marty Flannagan who pitched against a picked up team last Saturday, and struck out eight men. The Short Street Jrs. would like to play the Manhattans, for they are sure they can beat them. Now, B. H. Dyer of the Manhattans, speak up or shut up.

The Manchesters have organized for the year of 1904 and would like to challenge any team in the city under 12 years of age, (the Blossoms preferred). The line-up is as follows: J. Ward c, J. McFadden p, S. Briley 1b, J. Baxter 2b, J. Pepard ss, G. Humphries 3b, E. Stott lf, B. Humphries cf, T. Doherty rf, F. Hendrick sub. Send all challenges to J. Ward, 93 Blossom street, or through The Sun.

CRICKET NOTES

The formal opening of the Bunting cricket grounds will take place Saturday when the Lawrence Athletic team will meet the Buntings.

The Bunting Reserve team will play the Maynards at Maynard Saturday next.

Daniel Clegg, of the Bunting Cricket club, has been elected corresponding secretary, to take the place recently vacated by Harry Richardson.

The Mohairs made a good start Saturday. There is little doubt but that the good work will be kept up.

PEOPLE'S CLUB

ANNUAL EXHIBITION OF NEEDLE-WORK.

The annual exhibition of needlework is being held by the Women's branch of the People's club at their new rooms in the Institute building in Middle street. The work is greatly improved over the work of previous years and many high compliments have been paid the work by visitors.

The fancy work is the feature of the exhibition, many beautiful pieces of embroidery being on exhibition. The plan sewing consists of underwear, aprons, shirt waists, kimonas and stocks. The millinery department has some fine exhibits also, while one of the most practical exhibitions is that of dressmaking, where shirt waist suits, shirt waists and jackets are shown.

INSTANTLY KILLED

MAN WAS STRUCK BY FALLING BRICKS.

CAPAC, Mich., May 3—Everett Warren was instantly killed and Erie McLaughlin, William Locke and Joseph Lefevre were injured by falling bricks at the burning of the Hotel Rotunda here Sunday night. The loss was $20,000.

MILITARY TOURNAMENT.

NEW YORK, May 3.—With Mayor McClellan as the chief reviewing officer, the eighth annual military tournament began last night in Madison Square garden. The evolutions were greeted with applause.

SOME SIGHTS WE'D LIKE TO SEE IN THE OLD SPINDLE CITY

JOHN L'S BENEFIT

Phila. Defeated Boston Americans Yesterday

BOSTON, May 3—The home team was yesterday shut out by Philadelphia through masterly pitching by Waddell, who allowed but one hit. The visitors bunched hits, including Seybold's triple in the middle innings. Twenty per cent. of the gate receipts was given to the John L. Sullivan benefit fund.

The score:

PHILADELPHIA.

	ab.	r.	bh.	po.	a.	e.
Hartzel lf	4	1	1	1	0	0
Pickering cf	4	1	1	1	0	0
Davis 1b	4	0	1	13	0	0
L. Cross 3b	3	0	0	0	3	0
Seybold rf	4	1	1	2	0	0
Murphy 2b	4	0	1	0	4	0
M. Cross ss	3	0	0	2	3	0
Schreck c	3	0	1	8	0	0
Waddell p	3	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	32	3	6	27	10	0

BOSTON.

	ab.	r.	bh.	po.	a.	e.
Dougherty lf	3	0	1	3	1	0
Collins 3b	3	0	0	2	4	1
Stahl cf	3	0	0	2	0	0
Freeman rf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Parent ss	3	0	0	1	3	1
Lachance 1b	3	0	0	10	2	0
Ferris 2b	3	0	0	3	1	0
Criger c	3	0	0	4	0	0
Tannehill p	2	0	0	1	4	0
*Farrell	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	27	0	1	27	15	2

*Batted for Tannehill in ninth.

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Philadelphia	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	—3
Boston	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0

Earned runs, Philadelphia 3. Three-base hit, Seybold. Double play, Dougherty, Tannehill and Collins. First base on balls, off Waddell 2. Hit by pitched ball, Freeman. Struck out, by Waddell 7, by Tannehill 3. Time, 1.26. Umpire, Dwyer. Attendance, 6491.

AMERICAN LEAGUE RESULTS.

At New York—New York 5, Washington 0. Attendance, 1500.

At Detroit—Detroit 6, Cleveland 2. Attendance, 3000.

At St. Louis—Chicago 9, St. Louis 6.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Boston	10	3	.769
Philadelphia	7	4	.636
Chicago	9	6	.600
Detroit	7	6	.538
New York	6	5	.545
St. Louis	6	7	.462
Cleveland	4	7	.363
Washington	0	11	.000

EASTERN LEAGUE RESULTS.

At Newark—Newark 2, Toronto 1.

At Jersey City—Buffalo 8, Jersey City 0.

At Providence—Rochester 2, Providence 1.

At Baltimore—Baltimore 4, Montreal 1.

CONNECTICUT LEAGUE RESULTS.

At New London—New London 7, New Haven 0.

At Holyoke—Holyoke 12, Hartford 0.

At Springfield—Springfield 6, Meriden 4.

At Bridgeport—Worcester 6, Bridgeport 1.

OTHER GAMES.

At Amherst—Amherst 5, Colby 4.

MASSACHUSETTS PAID.

WASHINGTON, May 3—The treasury department yesterday sent to the governor of the state of Massachusetts, a warrant for $1,611,740, being the amount due the state as a refund for expenses incurred in raising volunteers for the union army during the Civil war.

SHUT THEM OUT

Boston Nats. Failed to Score Yesteaday

BOSTON, May 3—New York won from Boston 2 to 0 yesterday afternoon by clean fielding. Raymer muffed an easy liner from the first man at bat. Neither team was able to hit the ball hard or frequently.

The score:

NEW YORK.

	ab.	r.	bh.	po.	a.	e.
Browne rf	4	1	1	0	0	0
Devlin 3b	3	0	1	1	1	0
McGann 1b	3	0	1	13	1	0
Mertes lf	4	0	0	2	0	0
McCormick cf	3	0	2	1	0	0
Dahlen ss	4	0	0	0	4	0
Gilbert 2b	2	1	0	2	3	0
Warner c	4	0	0	4	1	0
Taylor p	3	0	0	2	6	0
Totals	30	2	5	27	16	0

BOSTON.

	ab.	r.	bh.	po.	a.	e.
Geier cf	4	0	1	2	0	0
Tenney 1b	3	0	0	11	1	0
Cannell rf	4	0	0	0	0	0
Cooley lf	4	0	0	1	0	0
Abbaticchio ss	3	0	0	2	6	0
Delehanty 3b	2	0	1	1	2	0
Raymer 2b	3	0	2	6	2	3
Moran c	3	0	0	3	3	0
Pittenger p	2	0	0	1	5	1
Wilhelm p	0	0	0	0	1	0
*Carney	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	29	0	4	27	20	3

*Batted for Pittenger in the eighth.

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
New York	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—2
Boston	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0

Double plays, Taylor, Gilbert and McGann. First base on balls, off Pittenger 2, off Taylor 2, off Wilhelm 2. Struck out, by Pittenger 2, by Taylor 2. Time, 1.40. Umpires, Zimmer and Moran. Attendance, 787.

NATIONAL LEAGUE RESULTS.

At Philadelphia—Brooklyn 3, Philadelphia 6. Attendance, 2085.

At Chicago—Chicago 3, Pittsburg 8. Attendance, 2400.

At Cincinnati—Cincinnati 8, St. Louis 5. Attendance, 2500.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
New York	10	2	.833
Brooklyn	7	5	.583
Chicago	7	5	.583
Cincinnati	9	7	.563
St. Louis	6	7	.462
Boston	5	8	.385
Pittsburg	5	8	.385
Philadelphia	2	9	.182

GATES LOCKED

MACHINISTS COULD NOT ENTER SHOPS.

TOPEKA, Kans., May 2—When the 2000 Santa Fe machinists and workmen gathered at the big railway shops in this city today to go to work they found the gates locked. The entire plot of ground of 25 acres is surrounded with a high oak board fence with few gates. These gates were locked and guarded by armed guards.

The Santa Fe officials asserted that they were anticipating a strike that would have come today. They said information had come to them that the men had held secret meetings Saturday night and Sunday and decided upon a strike at 9 o'clock Monday morning. There was no disturbance today, the majority of the men returning quietly to their homes.

CHELMSFORD

The May Party under the direction of the finance committee of the Unitarian church at the Centre last evening was a grand success, the fine weather bringing out a great gathering. The seats were arranged in a semi-circle around the hall, leaving floor space in the center for the fancy dances, which were given under the direction of Miss Ockington.

The first number on the program was a cantata, "The Crowning of the May Queen," and it was finely rendered by the young people. Then followed the May Pole dance by 16 lads and lassies in gala attire. Then came the spirited Irish jig by Miss Ockington's class. At the close of the entertainment ice cream was served under the direction of Mrs. A. E. Beede, Mrs. J. E. Warren and Mrs. Eli. Sweetser. A gaily decorated candy booth containing all home-made candies was liberally patronized. The candy booth was in charge of Misses Helen Lord, Elsie Perham, Rachel Marshall and Louise Adams.

Miss E. L. Parkhurst was the pianist for the evening, and her thorough conception of the needs of the various numbers added much to their enjoyment. The cantata was prepared under the direction of Mrs. C. E. Bartlett, Miss M. E. Warren and Mrs. Amasa Howard.

Following are the names of those taking part in the fancy dances:

May Pole dance—Ruberta Parkhurst, Hazel Knowlton, Ruth Emerson, Marjorie Armstrong, Elizabeth Warren, Katherine Greene, Miriam Warren, Irene French, Ervin Hunt, Arthur Redman, Mark Beede, Charles Douglass, Alfred Douglass, Fred Parkhurst, Chas. Parkhurst, Hosmer Sweetser.

Irish jig—Ruth Emerson, Alfred Douglass, Elizabeth Warren, Katherine Greene, Charles Douglass, Ruberta Parkhurst, Miriam Warren, Earl Day, Marjorie Armstrong.

The hall was cleared at the close of the entertainment and general dancing enjoyed until 11.30.

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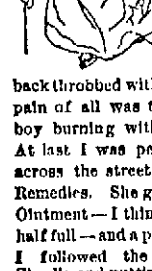

"Yes, that fat little boy by the window is Charlie, and his skin is as white as a snow flake, thanks to the Cuticura Remedies. I think everybody should know about the Soap and Ointment, and if it is going to help other mothers with sick babies, go ahead and publish what I have told you."

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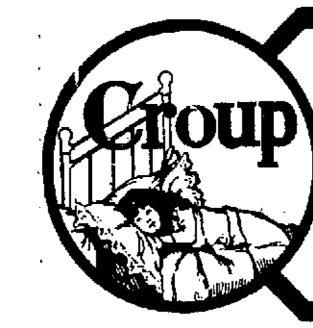

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STRIKE OF '94

Ex-President Cleveland Describes Great Labor Trouble

PRINCETON, N. J., May 3.—Before one of the largest audiences ever assembled in Alexander hall, ex-President Grover Cleveland delivered the Stafford Little lecture last night on "The Government in the Chicago Strike of 1894."

Mr. Cleveland was greeted with enthusiastic applause when Pres. Woodrow Wilson introduced him, saying:

"Mr. Cleveland stands today as the most prominent man in the United States and needs no introduction, especially to a Princeton audience."

The balcony was packed with undergraduates and townspeople, while the seats on the lower floor were reserved for professors and their wives together with prominent visitors.

Every word of the lecture was followed with the closest attention and appreciation.

He opened his address by briefly referring to some of the serious problems which faced his administration during the year 1894; then, taking up his subject in detail, he spoke in part as follows:

"In the last days of June, 1894, a very determined and ugly labor disturbance broke out in the city of Chicago. Almost in a night it grew to full proportions of malevolence and danger. Rioting and violence were its early accompaniments and it spread so swiftly that within a few days it had reached nearly the entire western and southwestern sections of the country. Railroad transportation was especially involved in its attacks. The carriage of U. S. mails was interrupted, interstate commerce was obstructed and railroad property was riotously destroyed.

"Att'y Gen. Olney, in his official report, correctly defined the purpose and design of this outbreak in these words: 'To compel a settlement of disputes between the Pullman company and a portion of its employes, nothing else was meditated or aimed at than a complete stoppage of all the railroad transportation of the country, state and interstate, and freight as well as passenger.' "

GREAT MILEAGE AFFECTED.

The speaker explained that the widespread trouble had its inception in a strike by the employes of the Pullman palace car company, which began on May 11, 1894, and was provoked by a reduction of wages. The cause of the Pullman strikers was taken up by the American railway union. Members of the A. R. U. refused to handle pullman cars or trains bearing them. At that time three-fourths of the railroad mileage of the country was under contract to use pullman cars.

"The same railroad companies which had contracted to use these pullman cars upon their lines," continued Mr. Cleveland, "had contracts with the U. S. government for the carriage of mails, and were, of course, also largely engaged in interstate commerce. It need hardly be said that of necessity the trains on which the mails were carried, and which served the purpose of interstate commerce were, as a general rule, those to which the pullman cars were also attached.

"The officers of the railway union established headquarters in the city of Chicago, and from there gave directions for the maintenance and management of the strike. Reports soon came from various quarters that the mails were seized and destroyed and other violent disorders committed. Thereupon the attorney-general immediately sent a dispatch to the U. S. district attorneys, instructing them to see that the passage of regular trains carrying U. S. mails in the usual and ordinary way, be not obstructed.

ATTY. GEN. OLNEY'S SUGGESTION.

"Wherever there was interference with the mails or restraint of commerce the U. S. courts were appealed to for relief. In Chicago the U. S. marshal was authorized to employ special deputies and special counsel for the government. In a letter to this special counsel, the attorney general, in making suggestions concerning legal proceedings, wrote:

"'It has seemed to me that if the rights of the United States were vigorously asserted in Chicago, the origin and center of the demonstration, the result would be to make it a failure everywhere else, and to prevent its spread over the entire county,' and in that connection, he indicated that it might be advisable, instead of relying entirely upon warrants, issued upon criminal statutes, against persons actually guilty of the offence of obstructing U .S. mails, that the courts should be asked to grant injunctions which would restrain and prevent any attempt to commit such offence."

Mr. Cleveland then described the repeated but ineffectual attempts by U. S. court injunctions and the use of deputy marshals to prevent riots and the obstr tion of commerce and mails.

"The operate and far-reaching character of this disturbance was not in the least underestimated by executive officials at Washington," Mr. Cleveland said, "and it must be borne in mind that, while menacing conditions were moving swiftly and accumulating at Chicago, like conditions, inspired and supported from that central point, existed in many other places within the area of the strike's contagion.

DESIRED PEACE, BUT READY FOR TROUBLE.

"Of course it was hoped by those charged with the responsibility of dealing with the situation, that a direct assertion of authority by the marshal or a resort to the restraining power of the courts would prove sufficient for the emergency. Notwithstanding, however, an anxious desire to avoid measures more radical, the fact had not been overlooked that a contingency might occur which would compel a resort to military force.

"The key to dispatches to the federal officers at Chicago from the attorney general may be found in the self-defensive authority of our nation to directly overcome resistance to the exercise of its legitimate and constitutional functions as related to the transportation of mails, the operation of interstate commerce, and the preservation of the property, of the United States, and in certain constitutional and statutory provisions.

"It was the intention of the attorney general to suggest in these dispatches that immediate and authoritative information should be given to the Washington authorities if a time should arrive when, under the sanction of general executive authority, or the constitutional provisions, a military force would be necessary at the scene of disturbance.

FEDERAL TROOPS SENT TO SCENE.

"The strike situation grew rapidly worse. Utter defiance of court orders, lawlessness and rioting culminated in the formal request of the U. S. marshal, supported by the judges and attorneys of the federal court, for federal troops. This request was at once met by orders to the war department, and soldiers from Fort Sheridan were soon on the scene. The dispatch containing the direction of this procedure concluded as follows:

"'The mere preservation of peace and good order in the city is of course the province of the city and state authorities.'

"An executive proclamation issued by the president, calling upon all to refrain from unlawful obstruction, combinations and assemblages, together with the wise use of the federal troops and the enforcement of the processes of the federal courts, resulting in the arrest of the officers of the A. R. U., stopped the rioting, the strike ended, and commerce and the mails proceeded unobstructed."

In concluding his explanation of the events leading up to the accomplishment of all the purposes of the government's interference, Mr. Cleveland said:

"I hope I have been thus far successful in my effort to satisfactorily exhibit the extensive reach and perilous tendency of the convulsion under consideration, the careful promptness which characterized the interference of the government, the constant desire of the national administration to avoid extreme measures, the careful limitations of its interference to purposes which clearly seemed to be within its constitutional competency and duty, and the gratifying and important results of its conservative but stern activity."

DISCUSSION WITH ALTGELD.

Then followed a most interesting part of the address, the reading of the correspondence which passed between President Cleveland and Gov. John P. Altgeld of Illinois. Of him, Mr. Cleveland said:

"This official not only refused to regard the riotous disturbances within the borders of his state as a sufficient cause for an application to the federal government for its protection against domestic violence under the mandate of the constitution, but actually protested against the presence of federal troops sent into the state upon the general government's initiative and for the purpose of defending itself in the clearly defined exercise of its legitimate functions."

The discussion following was illuminating of the whole question of state's rights and federal supremacy, concluding with this dispatch from Mr. Cleveland:

"While I am still persuaded that I have neither transcended my authority nor duty in the emergency that confronts us, it seems to me that in this hour of danger and public distress, discussion may well give way to active efforts on the part of all in authority to restore obedience to law and to protect life and property."

"This," said Mr. Cleveland, "closed a discussion which in its net result demonstrated how far one's disposition and inclination will lead him astray in the field of argument."

"ESTABLISHED FOR ALL TIME."

In closing, Mr. Cleveland concluded with a brief reference to the legal proceedings which grew out of this disturbance, "and finally led to the adjudication by the highest court in our land, establishing in an absolutely authoritative manner, and for all time, the power of the national government to protect itself in the exercise of its functions."

In sustaining the action of the U. S. circuit court, which ordered the imprisonment of Debbs and his associate officers of the A. R. U. for disobeying its injunctions, Mr. Cleveland said:

"The supreme court of the United States has written the concluding words of this history, and in every page provoking sober reflection. Nevertheless, even those most nearly related by executive responsibility to the troublous days whose story is told, may at this time congratulate themselves that they have had to do with marking out the way and clearing the path, now unchangeably established, that shall hereafter guide our nation safely and surely in the exercise of all the functions belonging to it which represent the people's trust."

MIRACULOUS ESCAPE

OF STUDENT WHO FELL FROM A FLAG-POLE.

NEW LONDON, N. H., May 3—Walter F. Goodwin, a student at Colby academy, fell 45 feet from a flag-pole on the academy campus about 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon, sustaining injuries about the chest and shoulders. On St. Patrick's day the students had a celebration, and in some manner the flag-pole rope was taken from the pole. Several attempts have been made to climb the pole to replace the rope. Yesterday afternoon Goodwin offered to go up. After a hard climb he reached the top and replaced the rope.

As he was descending, the climber on his right foot failed to work and he gradually slipped down the pole until about 45 feet from the ground. He lost his hold and fell backward. A ladder was leaning on the pole. As Goodwin fell he hit the top of it, breaking his fall. He struck on the ground on his shoulders and head.

Dr. Anna Littlefield of this place and Dr. Fernald of Sutton were summoned. They report that no bones are broken and they see no reason why Goodwin should not make a quick recovery.

GOLD COIN.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., May 3.—The steamer China which has arrived from the Orient brought a shipment of Japanese gold yen worth $3,334,300 to United States gold coin.

HEAD BLOWN OFF

Mystery Surrounds Murder of Young Girl

MAHANOY CITY, Pa., May 3.—A mystery surrounds the murder of Lillian Humes, 12 years old, whose lifeless body has been found lying face downward on the kitchen floor at the home of her brother, Harry Humes, engineer for the Mahanoy City water company. The top of her head was blown off and nearby lay a shotgun belonging to a member of the household with both barrels empty.

The girl came to this city last week from Philadelphia with her mother intending to spend the summer. She was alone in the house, Humes being busy at the pumping station, Mrs. Humes working in her garden some distance from the house and the children at school. When Mrs. Humes returned she found Lillian dead on the kitchen floor. Back of the chair where she had been sitting were two holes torn by the shot. The discharged gun lay on the floor. The nearest house is two miles from the Humes and no one heard the fatal shots, not even Mrs. Humes.

LIFE CRUSHED OUT

Driver of Auto Landed in a Ditch

CHICAGO, Ill., May 3—While his fiancee and another young woman vainly tried to lift the heavy vehicle H. S. Ringl of Chicago Heights, has been crushed to death in the mire of a ditch beneath his overturned automobile.

The accident occurred in the North Chicago road nearly a mile from the village of Chicago Heights.

The occupants of the automobile were Miss Florence Bornholdt, his fiancee, and Miss Elizabeth Canedy. On approaching the village Ringl attempted to turn out for a farmer's wagon. The heavy machine swerved into a ditch at the roadside and the occupants were thrown from their seats.

Miss Bornholdt was severely injured by striking the further bank of the ditch and was made unconscious. Miss Canedy was thrown into the water and escaped uninjured. When Miss Bornholdt regained consciousness the young women began a search for their companion and saw him struggling in the water and mire beneath the overturned machine.

They attempted to move the automobile, but their efforts were unavailing and Mr. Ringl's head sank beneath the water.

The farmer drove on, regardless of the accident and the young women had to walk nearly a mile for assistance.

Mr. Ringl was superintendent of the American Foundry and Machine Co., Chicago Heights.

ANOTHER STRIKE

In the Arlington Mills of Lawrence

LAWRENCE, May 3.—The latest strike at the Arlington mills, which started so suddenly and with only a few operatives, has developed into alarming proportions and now affects nearly, if not all, the combing room employes who were involved in the strike which reached a settlement a few weeks ago.

Some of the strikers said that Monday morning Overseer Robert Foster, who has charge of the combing department, notified the employes that he desired to see them one at a time in his office and told them to bring along their street clothes. The employes of the room procured their clothes and lined up outside of the office. The first man in was told that there was a rush of work on hand and that overtime and one-half instead of time and 9 o'clock in the evening, was necessary to fill the orders which had been held back since the recent strike. The man was given his choice either to work or put on his street clothes and "jack up."

The operative said "yes" so that he could go back and tell his co-workers. They refused to work unless given time and one-half instead of time and one-quarter, which the company offered. The employes left the mill and a strike was on.

ONCE WEALTHY

ROBERT JOHNSON DIED IN AN ASYLUM.

NEW YORK, May 3—Robert A. Johnson was one of the merchant princes of this city 20 years ago, with a fortune estimated at $5,000,000, and a palatial home on the Hudson, near Mt. St. Vincent.

Two days ago he was taken a public charge, to the Manhattan insane asylum, on Wards island, where he died Sunday. Last night his body lay in the morgue among the pauper dead.

The old merchant will not sleep in Potters field. Today he will be buried in a huge granite mausoleum, on a hill top on Calvary cemetery. The mausoleum was reared 20 years ago by Robert Johnson and his three brothers, when A. T. Stewart was their only peer in the retail dry goods trade in this country. T. J. McManus, a nephew, who was in ignorance of his uncle's plight, until too late to go to his assistance, will provide for the interment.

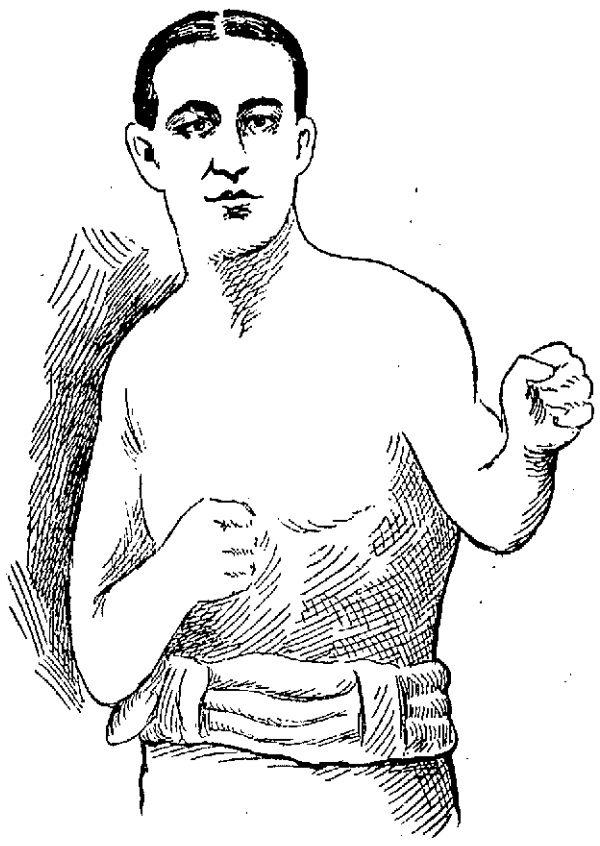
Robert Johnson, the last of the brothers, who composed the old Broadway firm of J. & C. Johnson, has been living apart from the world for years. His home has been a ramshackle stable on the estate near Mt. St. Vincent, once his own.

Almost penniless, he cooked his own meals, did his own washing and darned the tatters that formed his clothing. Little gifts from neighbors kept him alive.

Mr. Randolph, a Wall street banker, whose country home adjoins the Johnson property, found the old man burning with fever and raving mad and had him sent to the asylum.

What became of his millions was Robert Johnson's secret. He carried it with him to the grave.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.



JACK ROOT.

GARDNER BEATEN

Jack Root Was Given The Decision

CHICAGO, May 3.—Jack Root of Chicago was given the decision over George Gardner of Lowell, Mass., at the end of six rounds last night. Gardner did not fight in good form and was severely beaten.

Within a few seconds of the end of the second round Root knocked Gardner to his knees with a right swing to the jaw. Root had the better of the third and fourth rounds.

In the fifth round Root put a right hook to the jaw that sent Gardner down for a count of six. He was groggy when he arose, and lasted out the round with difficulty.

In the last round Root hammered Gardner all over the ring and at the bell had him almost out. Gardner's seconds were compelled to carry him to his corner and worked over him for nearly ten minutes before he was able to walk out of the ring.

FOUGHT A DRAW.

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., May 3.—George Ashley and Tommy King of Fall River fought a fierce 15-round battle to a draw here last night, and Guy Ashley and Peter Sullivan of Fall River also went 15 rounds. Sullivan got the decision after punishing his opponent severely.

BELL SAVED SIDNEY.

LEOMINSTER, May 3.—There were not enough persons at the McCloskey-Sidney bout in Music hall last night to pay expenses, and the hat had to be passed for that purpose. The contestants, however, did their part to make the evening a success. Twelve spirited rounds were fought. Referee Charles Lynch of Boston declared the bout a draw.

In the 12th round Sydney showed up groggy, and only the bell saved him. McCloskey repeatedly landed body blows, and knocked Sidney through the ropes.

RAUSCH WHIPS HAUGH.

PEORIA, Ill., May 3.—Morris Rausch of Chicago last night was awarded the decision over Maxey Haugh of Brooklyn at the end of a 10-round bout before the Riverside A. C.

ENGLISH BOXER WHIPPED.

LONDON, May 3.—In a 10-round contest at Whitechapel, last night, Jack Clancy of San Francisco defeated Peter Brown of Woolwich for the 144-pound championship and a purse of $1250.

THE PANAMA DEAL

Has Been Wound up by J. P. Morgan

PARIS, May 3—Having wound up the details of the big financial transaction connected with the Panama transfer, J. Pierpont Morgan left Paris today for Aix Les Bains. Before his departure he gave the correspondent of the Associated Press the main points of the final agreement as follows:

"The Panama canal company wished to have the money turned over in Paris instead of in the United States and was willing to pay all the expenses incident to the payment here. In order to accomplish this the United States has appointed the Morgan company fiscal agents for the purpose of payment, the Morgan company in turn to make a contract with the Panama company whereby the $40,000,000 will be paid in Paris. The contract specifies the Banque de France as depository and also the proportion of the payments going to the old and the new Panama companies respectively. The signing of this contract closes the transaction, it only remaining for the Morgan company to carry it out by making payments from time to time to the Banque de France. This will be done so as to cause no disarrangement of the American or French money markets. The report that a syndicate of Paris bankers is interested is incorrect. The appointment of the Morgan company as fiscal agents places the whole transaction in their hands. They will associate with Lazard Freres and other houses of a similar character in New York and here, but so far as the United States is concerned it entrusts the financing operation to the Morgans. The other details correspond with those foreshadowed in these dispatches April 29."

DISASTROUS FIRE

The Loss Will Amount to $300,000

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., May 3.—Fire at the union stock yards early today caused a loss of $300,000 to the Belt railroad and Union Stock Yards company. The insurance is $100,000. Thirty head of cattle were burned and 40 acres of cattle sheds and live stock were totally destroyed together with about 500 tons of hay and 10,000 bushels of corn.

When the fire was discovered about 500 head of cattle were in the yards and a large force of cattle men at once began the work of rescuing them. Twenty-five engines from the Belt railway were sent into the yards to haul the 350 cattle cars to a place of safety which with the exception of 25 that were partly burned, they succeeded in doing.

President Haugh of the Belt railroad and Union Stock Yards company said the loss would in no way interfere with the operations of the yard. After the fire had been brought under control flames fanned by a stiff breeze spread to another quarter of the yards and for a time the stock yards hotel was threatened.

THE "LINE" STORE

MOVE TO HAVE IT WIPED OUT.

HOULTON, Me., May. 3.—A movement is in progress in eastern Maine which has for its object the wiping out of the so-called "line store" on the Canadian boundary. A petition is being circulated throughout this region calling upon the secretary of the treasury at Washington to take some action. It is claimed that numerous places of business which rest on the boundary engage in liquor selling and that in some of them smuggling is carried on. The petition says:

"These buildings are located partly in the state of Maine and partly in New Brunswick and so located that it is impossible to tell whether sales of liquor are made in the one country or in the other.

"We have no doubt that these stores are also utilized for the purpose of smuggling goods across the border. We have been informed that the existence of such buildings on the boundary line is in contravention of United States law or the provisions of the treaty between the United States and Great Britain. If this be true we respectfully request that some active measure be adopted for the removal of these nuisances on our eastern border."

It is more profitable to advertise honorably and fail in the attempt to get business, than to advertise dishonorably and succeed for a little while.

NEW STAMPS OUT

IN HONOR OF THE ST. LOUIS EXPOSITION.

The special series of stamps in five denominations to commemorate the Louisiana Purchase of 1803 and known as the Commemorative Series of 1904, have been issued by the United States postal department and were placed on sale at the local post office this morning. They will be on sale during the term of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition now going on at St. Louis, but will not be sold after the 31st of November, the closing day of the exposition.

The five denominations are the one, two, three, five and ten cent, and the stamps are practically the same size as those issued during the Buffalo Exposition, the dimensions being 1¾ by 1 inch.

The one cent stamp is green and has the portrait of Robert R. Livingston, United States minister to France, who conducted the negotiations for the Louisiana Purchase.

The two cent stamp is red and has the head of Thomas Jefferson, president of the United States at the time of the purchase.

The three cent stamp is purple and has James Monroe's picture, he being the special ambassador to France in the matter of the purchase who with Livingston closed the negotiations.

The five cent stamp is blue and has the head of William McKinley, who as president of the United States approved the acts of congress officially connecting the United States government with the Commemorative exposition.

The ten cent stamp is brown and has a United States map of the territory included in the purchase.

These stamps will not be issued in book form.

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DAMASKS

FOR 98c A YARD—6 pieces of the well-known Silver-bleached Damask, full 72 in. wide, with satin face, was $1.25 a yard.
FOR 98c A YARD—10 pieces full bleached Damask, Brown's Irish Linen and heavy Scotch Damask, was $1.25 and $1.39.
FOR 89c A YARD—5 pieces of the original Silver-Bleached Damask, regular price $1.25.
FOR 89c A YARD—4 pieces Brown's fine Irish Damask, full bleached, was $1.10 a yard.
FOR 79c A YARD—3 pieces heavy half-bleached Damask, was 98c a yard.
FOR 49c A YARD—Only one piece of Silver-bleached, usually 62½c a yard.
FOR 39c A YARD—7 full-bleached Damask, regular price 50c.
FOR 29c A YARD—2 pieces of unbleached Damask, regular price 39c.
FOR 37½c A YARD—2 pieces Bates' Turkey Red Damask, regular price 50c

NAPKINS

100 dozen All Linen Napkins, were $1.25, only.....89c A DOZEN
50 dozen All Linen Napkins, were $1.50, only.....$1.25 A DOZEN
40 dozen All Linen Napkins, were $2.00, only.....$1.50 A DOZEN
125 dozen All Linen Napkins, were $2.50, only.....$2.00 A DOZEN
63 dozen slightly soiled Napkins, were $4.00, only..... $2.75
29 dozen full 3-4 size Napkins, were $4.00, only..... $3.00
40 dozen fine Irish Linen Napkins, were $4.00, only.....$2.98 A DOZEN

TOWELS

1000 dozen Huck Towels, worth 12½c each .....3 FOR 25c
150 Absorbent Bath Towels, worth 19c each .....3 FOR 25c
All of our fine 39c Towels, Damask and Huck, only.....25c EACH
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The 75c ones reduced to 50c

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100 dozen All Linen Damask, were 50c, ...29c EACH
40 dozen All Linen Damask, were 65c.....39c EACH
50 dozen All Linen Damask, were 75c.....49c EACH

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Wonders of the World's Fair

Marvelous Things Which Reveal the Progress of the World In All Lines of Effort—Mammoth Power Plant Replete With Novelties—Areas Equivalent to Farms Under Roof—Outdoor Displays of Many Kinds

By MARK BENNITT.

SOMETHING will be doing in the Palace of Machinery at the World's Fair—something doing all the time. Never has the world seen such an assemblage of machines, never such an installation of power generators.

With one glance the visitor may see in operation machines which develop power equal to that of over 50,000 horses, all pulling together.

This palace is but one of the thousand structures that make up this greatest of world's expositions. There are more than twenty important exhibit buildings. The Palace of Agriculture covers twenty acres, the equivalent of a farm under roof. You can walk up and down aisles for miles without recrossing your path and learn a new lesson about agriculture with every step.

Other buildings range from eight to fifteen acres each. The four pavilions of the Palace of Art contain a total of 135 galleries, in which will be found the art treasures of every country of the world in which art has made creditable progress.

The Palace of Transportation contains the automobile display, the automobile boats of high speed and other marine craft. The railway display has four miles of display tracks within the building. A monster locomotive with drivers flying at eighty miles an hour will occupy a moving turntable in the center of the building.

Two buildings of fourteen acres each are given up to manufactures. The United States government has an imposing palace on a hillside. It is 800 feet long and is filled with departmental exhibits. A half section of a man-of-war is one of the many features. The government Indian exhibit and fisheries exhibit occupy other buildings. Many acres are occupied with outdoor exhibits.

Fifty nations of the world and fifty states and territories of the United States are active participants in the great exposition. Magnificent buildings on every hand give outward expression of their presence, and in many palaces are the displays of natural and manufactured products from lands far and near.

It but mildly tells the story when one says the Pike is more than a mile long, for in that measured length are immeasurable possibilities for pleasure of most novel kind. There are trips to the most wonderful places and back again in a twinkling. There are delightful mysteries and thrilling scenes, villages and streets from many nations, scientific wonders and spectacular shows.

But let's go back to the Palace of Machinery and the power plant. Alluring things are everywhere, but the power plant is a marvelous thing if we but study its details. The palace is 1,000 feet long, equal to three or four city blocks, and 500 feet wide. It covers ten acres. The power generators are in the western part of the building and receive their steam from a huge boiler plant in another great building nearby. These engines require the equivalent of 400 tons of coal per day to supply the steam.

The public has never seen a steam turbine, the dream of mechanicians since the first application of the force of steam.

The dream has come true. Thought and experiment have won at last the success that has baffled many an inventor now dead.

So recent is the invention of the successful steam turbine that no exposition has before offered an opportunity for its public display.

At the World's Fair in St. Louis we shall see, not one, but three, types of successful steam turbines, all of them related, yet as inventions they are quite distinct.

The start was right, for the first experimental steam engine, invented by James Watt, was a rotary. Yet, always destined to do the wrong thing first, inventors produced a reciprocating engine, with all its multiplicity of parts, and have given their attention since the time of Watt to perfecting the piston engine.

The inventors of rotary or turbine engines through the several generations since the era of Watt have been regarded by their fellows as madhouse candidates and classed with the seekers after perpetual motion. But the idea would never down. Hope has sprung eternally in the inventor's breast, and the power using world may be mighty thankful that it has.

The tyro in mechanics needs not to be told that a rotary engine is the ideal type. The thought is as common as that wheels are better than runners on bare ground. But how to get equal efficiency from steam pressure in the rotary movement as compared with the back and forth action of the common engine has been the apparently unsolvable problem. Its solution now marks an epoch in mechanics of little less importance than the original invention of a steam engine.

Perhaps we may attribute the cause of failure to a hundred things, but it seems to have been in the nonappreciation of the tremendous velocity of steam as it escapes from the boiler. It is all so easy to see now since some keener vision has discovered it that we must all, mechanics or what not, feel half ashamed of ourselves for not doing the trick when our tiny lives flowed in the blood of our ancestors.

When steam is released under pressure of 150 pounds to the square inch in the ordinary atmosphere it has a velocity of nearly 3,000 feet—almost three-fifths of a mile—per second. Projectiles from big cannon or Mauser rifles do not travel so fast. When steam under the same pressure is released into vacuum the velocity is over 4,000 feet per second. Here was the basic idea. To release live steam at such tremendous velocity against revolving parts of small diameter would now seem the height of folly, but inventors for nearly a hundred years haven't thought so. Waste of energy and inefficiency could be the only result. How easy to see it now!

Three inventors share the honor of making a successful steam turbine. They are entitled to a place in a list of honored names—Carl de Laval of Sweden, the Hon. Charles Algernon Parsons of England, C. G. Curtis of New York. Three countries share the distinction, and it is better thus, for this is no narrow world.

In the De Laval turbine the steam is discharged from the boiler through an expanding nozzle upon a set of vanes upon a single wheel. Good efficiency is secured, but the rotation of the wheel is so swift that its velocity is reduced ten to one before it is applicable to power uses. This is done by means of spiral cut gears.

The Parsons turbine is the one which is now in practical use on the English channel propelling the steamer Queen, a vessel 310 feet long, at twenty-three knots per hour. The machinery of the Queen consists of three turbines fitted to three lines of shafting, terminating in propellers. At the ordinary steaming speed of the Queen the revolutions of the center shaft are about 700 and of the two side shafts about 600 per minute. Owing to the high velocity the propellers are necessarily of small diameter. The center turbine is under high pressure and the two side turbines low pressure.

Inside the exhaust end of each low pressure turbine cylinder are placed reversing turbines, into which steam may be let by side valves. These valves admit steam into the reversing turbines when it is desired to go astern. When the steamer is going forward the reversing turbines revolve idly in a vacuum.

In the Parsons turbine the steam is carried between a succession of internal revolving cylinders and external stationary cylinder. Both the internal and external surfaces of these cylinders are equipped with circles of vanes and blades so arranged that the steam passes alternately through rows of moving and stationary blades. The impact of the steam is deflected from the stationary to the moving blades and imparts the movement to the cylinders fixed upon the shaft. The turbine engines take but little space as compared with ordinary engines, and the noise is like that of a rapid running dynamo. The absence of the unpleasant vibrations common to steamers having a reciprocating engine is at once noticeable. The Parsons turbine exhibited at the World's Fair is a 5,000 horsepower engine and was made at Pittsburg.

In the Curtis turbine the inventor has profited by the experience of his predecessors. The first patent by Mr. Curtis for the protection of his ideas in the construction of the steam turbine was issued nine years ago—in 1896. The development has been going on since that time.

The engine for the World's Fair power plant is an 8,000 horsepower turbine, with an electric generator direct attached, the most powerful engine ever built for any purpose, and is guaranteed to deliver as high as 12,000 horsepower, or the equivalent of the entire amount of power used at the Columbian exposition at Chicago ten years ago.

The construction of the Curtis turbine is in some respects similar to that of the Parsons, with the very important difference that the inventor has vastly enlarged the diameter of the revolving parts. The revolving mechanism of the Curtis engine consists of a series of disks strung upon a shaft. These disks alternate with fixed disks attached to the inner surface of the cylinder in which the parts revolve. The steam is admitted through a series of expanding nozzles around the entire circumference of the revolving disks.

The entire outer edge of each disk is made up of concave blades or puddles. The steam is admitted obliquely in the direction which the disks are intended to turn. The force of the steam at its tremendous velocity thus strikes the blades throughout the circumference of the wheel. Resistance throws the steam from the first set of concave blades back against the second set of reversed but fixed concave blades. From this set of fixed blades it is again deflected forward against moving blades, zigzagging its way through to the end of the series until it is finally released into a vacuum, where it is condensed.

There may be as many blade disks as necessary to use almost the entire efficiency of the steam. As no oil enters the steam chamber the condensed steam is in a condition to be returned immediately to the boiler.

The noteworthy advantages claimed for the turbine engine over the reciprocating type are in the fewer parts, the absence of vibration, the less likelihood of breakage, the lighter foundations, the need of less floor space and the far greater economy of construction and material. A reciprocating engine is claimed to be eight times heavier than the new type of turbine of the same power.

Engineers tell us we are on the eve of a tremendous revolution in the use of steam power. It has been estimated that large users of steam power may with economy throw away their present equipment and install the steam turbines, in three years saving in cost of fuel and attendance the entire expense of the change.

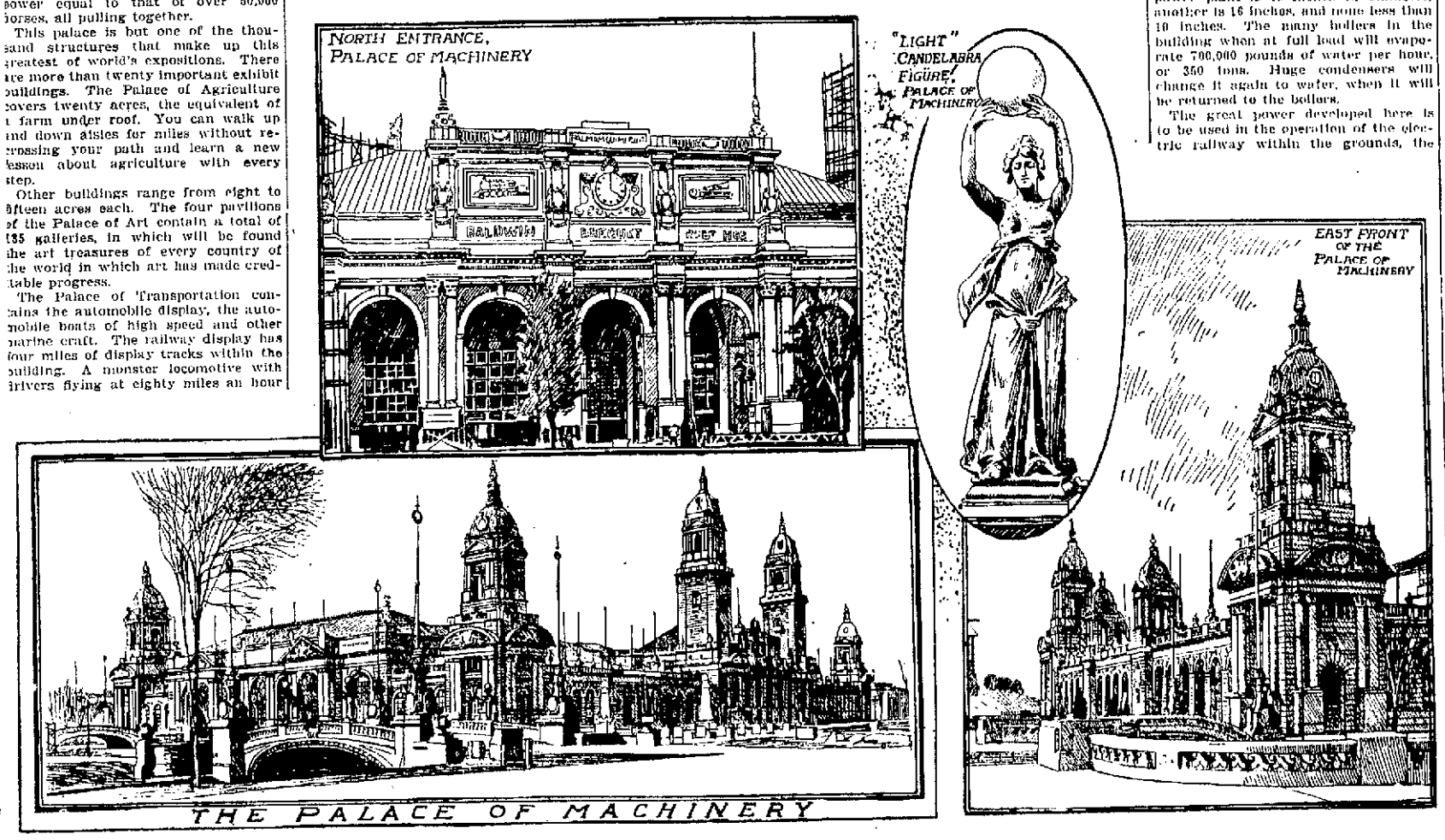
If such promises hold good it is not unlikely that we shall see a revival of river commerce made possible by the greater speed and economy in the operation of river boats. The statement may also apply to the inland lakes and coastwise traffic. Aside from the Curtis turbine, the largest engine in the 50,000 horsepower plant is the Allis-Chalmers reciprocating engine of 5,000 horsepower, valued at $150,000. One needs to recall the great Corliss engine which attracted such worldwide attention at the Philadelphia Centennial exposition. That ponderous engine never developed to exceed 300 horsepower. The Allis-Chalmers engine is equivalent to nearly eighteen of the Corliss generators. The construction of this largest of reciprocating engines differs from those familiar to most eyes in the fact that it is both a vertical and horizontal engine, having two pistons acting upon the same crank.

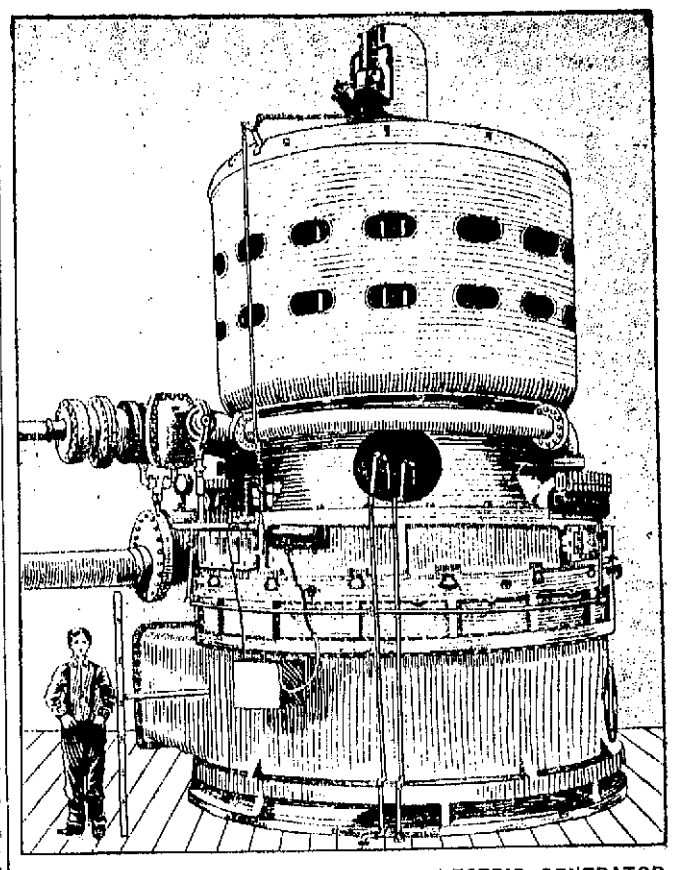
Other noteworthy engines in the great power plant are a 1,750 horsepower engine from Tedel, Germany; a 600 horsepower high speed engine from Harrisburg, Pa.; a 750 horsepower medium speed steam engine from Cincinnati, O.; a 1,000 horsepower slow speed steam engine from Burlington, Ia.; four 3,000 horsepower reciprocating steam engines, with generators, from Pittsburg; three 80 horsepower exciter sets, and many other engines of smaller rating.

The Steam, Gas and Fuels building is a fireproof structure 330 feet long by 300 feet wide a short distance west of the Palace of Machinery. A tunnel 17 feet broad by 8 feet deep connects the two buildings. One of the steam pipes conveying steam to the engines of the power plant is 18 inches in diameter, another is 16 inches, and none less than 10 inches. The many boilers in the building when at full load will evaporate 700,000 pounds of water per hour, or 350 tons. Huge condensers will change it again to water, when it will be returned to the boilers.

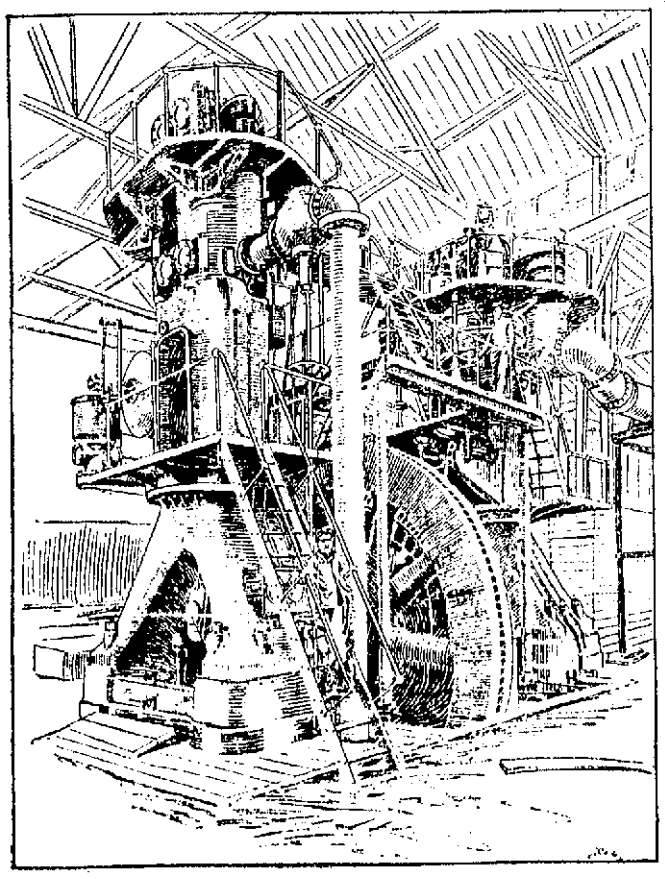
The great power developed here is to be used in the operation of the electric railway within the grounds, the pumping of water and the illumination of the grounds and buildings.

The value of the exhibits in the Palace of Machinery alone will exceed $8,000,000, while the cost of the exposition, exclusive of exhibits, is estimated at $50,000,000.





THE CURTIS STEAM TURBINE WITH ELECTRIC GENERATOR, 8,000 HORSEPOWER, PALACE OF MACHINERY.



ONE OF THE FOUR 3,000 HORSEPOWER WESTINGHOUSE GENERATORS, PALACE OF MACHINERY.

MEDALLIONS FOR ART PALACE

Twenty-two Famous Personages Represented In the Adornment of This World's Fair Building.

The permanent portion of the great Art Palace at the Louisiana Purchase Exposition has twenty-two medallions in limestone of famous personages in the history of art, beginning with Phidias, they run down the line through Michael Angelo, Raphael, Rembrandt, Rubens and other masters of centuries ago, concluding with John La Farge and Augustus St. Gaudens, representing modern art.

Comment will no doubt be occasioned by the selection of two artists still living for this series, but it was thought fitting that these two men, standing at the head of their respective professions, should be chosen for such honors in the decoration of the building.

Mr. George T. Brewster, the New York sculptor, modeled eleven of these medallions. A full list of the twenty-two medallions is as follows:

Phidias, Ictinus, Botticelli, Giotto, Michael Angelo, Raphael, Palladio, Leonardo da Vinci, Brunelleschi, Donatello, Titian, Della Robbia, Bramante, Durer, Holbein, Rembrandt, Rubens, Velasquez, Cellini, Charles Garnier, Augustus St. Gaudens, John La Farge.

Mr. Brewster's work includes Botticelli, Michael Angelo, Raphael, Titian, Durer, Holbein, Rembrandt, Augustus St. Gaudens and John La Farge. This sculptor also made spandrels of much merit for the Manufactures building.

Mr. Brewster was born in Kingston, Mass., in 1862. He spent three years in Paris at the Beaux Arts and in the ateliers of Dumont and Merrie, and on returning to this country he established a studio in New York city. He has been successful as an instructor in art, having founded the modeling class of the Art Students' league and being now instructor in sculpture at Cooper Union. One of the best sculptural compositions at the Pan-American Exposition, the Fountain of Nature, in the West Esplanade, was the work of Mr. Brewster. Among his works are the seal of the University club, New York; the figure of "Hope" on the new statehouse at Providence, R. I.; the group "Defense of the Flag" at Athens, Pa., and the bust of Judge George Peirce Andrews of the New York supreme court.

IN THE MINING GULCH.

The Days of Forty-nine Brought Into Sharp Contrast With Those of the Present.

By CLAUDE H. WETMORE.

Methods in vogue in "forty-nine" and the methods of today are brought into contrast in the Mining Gulch at the World's Fair this year.

It is one of the unique features of this Exposition to have an outdoor display in addition to that which will be under roof in the Mines and Metallurgy building. Heretofore at such centennial celebrations the exhibits have been confined to samples of ores and to a still life display of the machinery with which the precious metals are taken from the ground.

But, following the keynote "revealment of processes," those who planned the great enterprise at St. Louis decided that the best lesson would be that taught by such machinery seen in active operation. Therefore the Mining Gulch and its many interesting sights were evolved.

First in point of time and in sympathy with many of the visitors is the placer camp, where is shown the manner of washing gravel for precious bits of gold in the days when John W. Mackay and his associates were making fortunes from the soil. Near at hand are replicas of the cabins in which these men lived during the weary months of their early struggles.

Farther along the visitors see the ore crushers of the present time, which work with almost human intelligence. They not only reduce the rock to a dust, but separate the dross from the flecks of value.

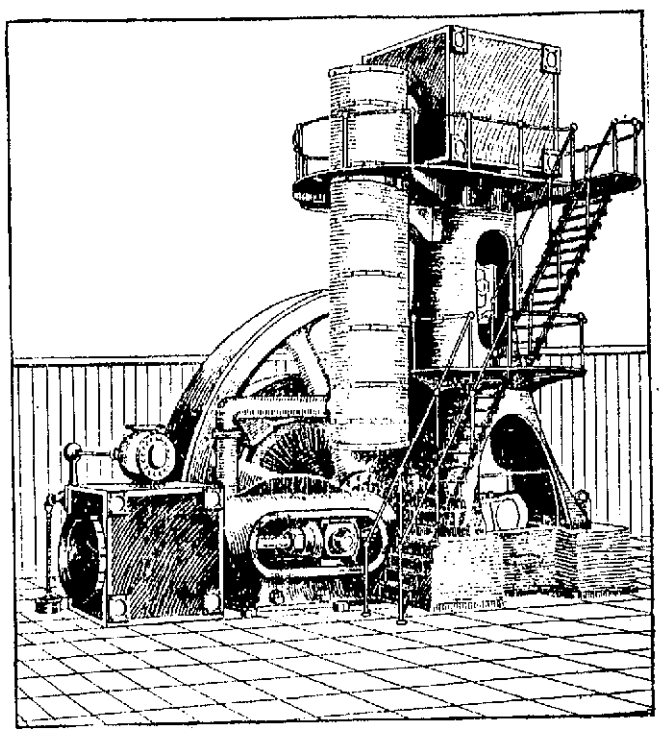
Gliding up and down an incline is an electric motor, exemplifying the method now in vogue of quickly transporting dump cars, while the latest models of these automatic vehicles are shown in active use. And so, along an overhead trolley, swing buckets, bearing burdens to dump heaps and to machines that stand with open maws, ready to crush out the finer substances.

One hears the chug, chug, chug, of the oil derrick and observes the working of the long arms that are thrust into the bowels of Mother Earth to bring above ground the precious liquid mineral that has become such a factor in commerce.

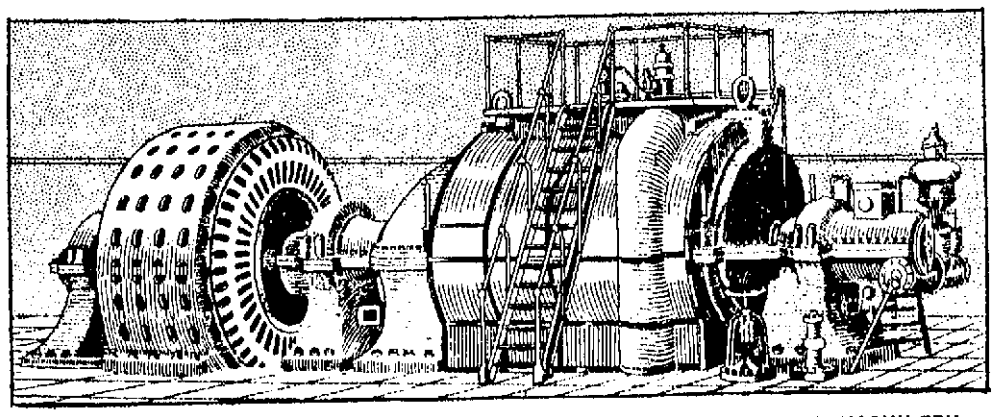
Near at hand is a coal mine, a natural vein having been found on the Fair site and made a portion of the exhibit.

How a mine is timbered, how pumps are worked so as to prevent flooding, how shafts are constructed, how tramways go down into the blackness—all these are shown to the observers.

And here is a little train that burrows into the ground. Its engineer—or, rather, its motorman, for electricity is the motive power—wears a miner's light on his cap. All aboard! And away the open cars move—down, down, down, into the mine! On the way you are shown the walls of the subterranean passage, and it is explained how they are constructed to withstand pressure. You see miners at work with pick and shovel; you observe the little freight cars that carry the product of these men's labor to the surface. On that journey another man, wearing a light in his cap, is your guide and tells all that you wish to know concerning the mysteries of the life beneath the surface. In the far end many lights glimmer, and you are pleasantly surprised to see a restaurant, the waiters in which also have miners' lamps in their caps. You can stop there and rest if you desire and partake of underground fare or you can return in the little train and reach the surface once more.



ALLIS-CHALMERS ENGINE, PALACE OF MACHINERY.



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LARGEST ORGAN IN THE WORLD.

The completion of the largest pipe organ ever built has been announced. It is a special exhibit for the World's Fair and occupies a large room specially built to contain it in the Festival Hall. The organ has 145 stops. There are 10,000 pipes some of which are five feet square.

TRAINS TO AND FROM BOSTON

SOUTHERN DIV.

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
5.48	6.50	6.00	7.04
6.27	7.40	6.30	7.26
a6.30	7.30	7.65	8.65
a6.42	7.53	8.25	9.01
a7.01	8.02	e9.00	9.57
ea7.24	8.10	e10.00	10.37
a7.31	8.30	a10.17	11.34
7.45	8.55	e11.30	12.07
8.00	9.40	12.00	12.56
9.40	10.40	e1.00	1.37
11.00	12.03	2.00	3.01
za11.43	12.25	e3.00	3.37
a12.14	1.00	a3.47	5.00
1.40	2.50	4.14	5.30
ea1.50	2.39	e5.00	5.37
a3.03	4.20	5.38	6.25
e3.47	4.30	a5.47	6.54
4.25	5.30	6.14	7.30
ea5.22	6.15	e7.30	8.06
a5.44	7.00	e8.30	9.05
ea6.22	7.05	10.30	11.34
ea7.29	8.10	11.29	12.22

SUNDAY TRAINS

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
e6.30	7.30	9.00	10.00
a7.24	8.10	1.00	1.57
8.46	9.49	5.00	5.59
a9.30	10.36	e7.30	8.08
a4.25	5.30	e8.30	9.08
a5.55	7.00	9.00	10.02

WESTERN DIV.

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
6.53	8.00	7.30	8.04
8.00	8.54	9.25	10.52
9.25	10.39	10.46	11.41
10.50	12.00	11.50	1.08
12.05	1.32	2.15	3.19
12.45	1.57	3.38	4.35
2.50	3.35	4.59	5.50
3.10	4.10	6.01	7.05
3.55	5.04	6.35	7.48
5.05	6.43	9.30	10.40
6.15	7.15	B11.16	12.15
7.00	8.08		
9.25	10.30		

SUNDAY TRAINS

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
8.16	9.27	6.00	9.17
12.05	1.24	12.00	1.02
4.05	5.18	5.00	6.27
5.30	6.55		
8.00	9.05		

Trains by western division leave Lowell from Middlesex St. Station.

aVia Bedford.

eExpress.

zFrom Middlesex Street Station only.

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W. F. Elvin's 13th annual reception on Thursday evening, May 5th.

NOW FOR BARGAINS.

Next week we make a change in our business. Commencing Wednesday, May 4th, we will dispose of many lines of goods to make room for the new display. It will be the finest in Lowell. If you want a new dress, attend this sale. If you want laces, attend this sale. If you want small wares, attend this sale. All goods reduced this week. J. S. Danford Co., 195 Merrimack street.

LACE OPERATIVES MET.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., May 3.—The chartered organizations of the Amalgamated Lace Operatives of America met here yesterday in their first session of their annual convention.

The organization has within its ranks about 90 per cent. of the lace workers of the country. Delegates are in attendance from Philadelphia, Scranton, Chester, Pa.; Tariffville, Conn.; Pawtucket, R. I.; Newburgh, N. Y., and New York city.

New officers were elected for the coming year as follows: General president, George Hamill of Philadelphia; general secretary, M. F. Sullivan, Philadelphia; general treasurer, Joseph Ward, Philadelphia.

MR. SPARKS AGAIN

To Try His Luck in the Congressional Fight

A Boston paper has the following:

The Hon. John T. Sparks, of Dracut, who has been figuring as a possible candidate for the democratic congressional nomination in the 5th district, came out into the open yesterday and announced himself as positively a candidate. He was a caller at the State House, where he met many of his former associates in the legislature.

Mr. Sparks secured the nomination two years ago, after a bitter contest with Alexander B. Bruce of Lawrence, Mr. Bruce carrying the fight to the ballot law commission upon the validity of the action of the nominating convention in which Senator Sparks won. The commission decided in Mr. Sparks' favor, but the animosities engendered destroyed what hope the democrats had of defeating the republican, Butler Ames, and the latter was elected with a plurality of 883. The situation was somewhat confused then and probably will be again by the fact that candidate Sparks has a brother, a prominent Lowell physician, who is a republican and has been identified with Congressman Ames' personal machine.

A Startling Test.

To save a life Dr. T. G. Merritt of No. Mehoopany, Pa., made a startling test resulting in a wonderful cure. He writes, "A patient was attacked with violent hemorrhages, caused by ulceration of the stomach. I had often found Electric Bitters excellent for acute stomach and liver troubles so I prescribed them. The patient gained from the first and has not had an attack in 14 months." Electric Bitters are positively guaranteed for Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Constipation and Kidney Troubles. Try them. Only 50c at Goodale's Drug Store, 217 Central street, Lowell.

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MAY BE IN LOWELL

Woman is Searching for Her Husband

BOSTON, May 3.—In the lodging house at 363 Tremont street, Mrs. Charles E. Severance, heartbroken, is awaiting the return of her husband, who has been reported to the police as having been seen in Haverhill last Saturday, after his several days' wanderings from his home in this city.

Mrs. Severance said last night that her husband had recently been much upset. Mr. Severance has been mentally buying lodging houses and unoccupied tenements for mythical lodgers.

He has also during the past four months bought restaurants and fruit stores by the dozen.

Mrs. Severance said that all of her savings had gone to her husband's desire to consult fortune tellers and other women to whom he had rented their former lodging house at 711 Tremont street before they moved to the present home at 363 Tremont street.

Mrs. Severance says that her husband wanders around the state, buying and selling houses, restaurants and furniture in which he cannot have any monetary interest nor any equity, but is imbued with the idea that he may become the king of the lodging house keepers of the state.

Strange and most mysterious telegrams and notes have been received from the missing man by Mrs. Severance since he left home two weeks ago, and the latest was to the effect that he intended to return on April 30, and in which he said: "I was lost; was found by the postmaster; will be home on April 30 to have supper, when ready."

This note was sent to his wife, written on the blank of one of the Haverhill express companies, and has led her to believe that Mr. Severance is roaming about in the vicinity of Haverhill, Lawrence or Lowell, where he has relatives.

TRIED FOR MURDER

Accused Woman Will Take the Witness Stand

DOVER, Del., May 3.—The real fight for the life of Mrs. Mary Ann Powell began today. Attorney-General Ward called the state's witnesses in rapid order to prove that the prisoner had wantonly and brutally murdered Essie Albin on Feb. 9 because of jealousy.

The first few witnesses were dismissed without lengthy cross-examination by the defending attorneys. Formal establishment of the girl's death was made, the location of the Powell farmhouse near Bowers Beach was established and diagrams of the building and rooms were shown. Stolid but keenly alive to every move and question of the attorneys, Mrs. Powell sat in the dock.

As Sheriff Riley Melvin brought Mrs. Powell in the courtroom her husband, Alfred Powell, addressed a few words to her but she passed on without replying. The sheriff said his charge passed a restful night although she said she was beginning to feel worried last evening after the first day in court.

It was stated today that Mrs. Powell will be placed on the stand but the line of defence has not been announced by her counsel.

FAMINE IN BREAD

May Result From the Bakers Strike in Boston

BOSTON, May 3.—In consequence of the action of a large number of the smaller bakeries in signing the new working schedule, from three to four hundred bakers of the 1000 who struck in this city yesterday, returned today to their places. About 30 of the smaller concerns now have signed the new schedule and the bakers' unions expect that a majority of the 100 small concerns yet to be heard from will consent to the demands of the men. The contest then will be with the master baker association including the three or four large bakeries in the Boston district.

A. O. Collymeyer, manager of No. 4, said today that inasmuch as the largest bakers are practically tied up, about 60 per cent. of the bread output has been discontinued. He expressed the opinion that unless a settlement was reached a bread famine would soon develop.

MR. D. W. BUGBEE

Appointed Asst. Superintendent of Sewers

HIS APPOINTMENT HOWEVER IS PROVISIONAL

As Position Comes Under Civil Service

Supt. Beals today provisionally appointed Daniel W. Bugbee to the position of assistant superintendent of sewers to succeed the late Ether S. Foss, recently deceased.

While the position is listed under the civil service there is no eligible list at present, and an examination will be necessary. Mr. Bugbee will take the examination when it comes as will several others who are after the job.

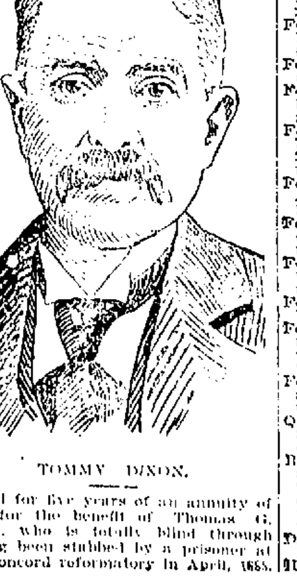
Mr. Bugbee is the well known republican city committeeman, formerly of ward seven but now of ward eight. He conducted the Howe campaign last fall and at one time was mentioned for police commissioner though the mention was brief. Mayor Howe intended to appoint him superintendent of cemeteries when John L. Stevens got out of the office of cemetery trustee, but as yet Mr. Stevens is still holding over as the board of aldermen have never confirmed his successor, and as long as Messrs. Stevens and Mountford remain in office the present superintendent, Mr. Welton, bids fair to stay there.

The office of assistant superintendent of sewers pays $1400 per year or $200 more than the position of superintendent of cemeteries. Mr. Bugbee, the provisional appointee, was for many years an overseer in the Tremont & Suffolk, and is well known and liked among the mill operatives.

ADVERSE REPORT

ON RESOLVE TO PROVIDE ANNUITY FOR TOMMY DIXON.

Among the committee reports received in the lower branch of the legislature yesterday was: Ways and means, ought not to pass, on the resolve providing for the payment to the overseers of the poor of the city of Lowell for five years of an annuity of $300, for the benefit of Thomas G. Dixon, who is totally blind through having been stabbed by a prisoner at the Concord reformatory in April, 1885.



TOMMY DIXON.

SWINDLER'S WORK

New York Brokers Were Caught by Game

NEW YORK, May 3.—By representing himself as Colonel John D. Hewitt, president of the Buckeye Coal and Coke Co., of Bramwell, W. Va., director of the bank of Bramwell, a swindler has been operating in New York for two months, having drafts on Col. Hewitt's Philadelphia bank cashed and passed by that institution through New York brokers. Colonel Hewitt died more than six months ago.

The papers whereby the impostor was able to open an account for $10,000 with a large stock exchange house, negotiate for the purchase of a $50,000 residence in Brooklyn, live at a first-class hotel and enjoy himself generally, were stolen by the man from Col. Hewitt in Atlantic City where the West Virginian was endeavoring to recover his health.

When the swindler began to use his documents here he first visited the brokers and showed them a letter of credit on a Philadelphia bank made out to Col. Hewitt. The bank reported it all right and cashed a draft for $10,000 which was placed to the impostor's credit. He did not operate in stocks, however, and only drew occasionally on the account for a few dollars. Several weeks passed when suddenly the Philadelphia bank discovered its error through Col. Hewitt's son and notified the New York brokers. They informed their client and demanded an explanation. He quickly disappeared and the bank recovered its money.

The impostor is said to have used the same means elsewhere to secure financial standing.

LEAKING BADLY

STEAMSHIP AND SCHOONER WERE IN COLLISION.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., May 3.—The Standard Oil steamship Hudson, from Philadelphia for Singapore, and the schooner T. Charleton Henry from Baltimore for Boston were in collision 80 miles off Cape Henlopen last night. The collision occurred during a dense fog. The steamship had her bows stove in and Capt. Burnett was compelled to jettison some of the cargo from the forehold between decks in order to raise the bow of the Hudson. The Henry is leaking badly.

ON SHORT TIME

CURTAILMENT IN MILLS IN WARE.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., May 3.—Agent George E. Tucker, of the Otis Manufacturing Co., of Ware, announces that beginning this week, Nos. 1, 2 and 4 mills will be operated four days a week for the present. The curtailment affects the cotton department, but the underwear mill will run on full time. In the cotton mills 800 hands are affected. The Otis cotton mill at Palmer will also run four days weekly.

About 8000 cotton operatives in this section of the state are now on short time. They are employed by the Otis company, Thorndike mills at Palmer and West Warren, Boston Duck Co., Bondville, and the Dwight & Chicopee companies of Chicopee.

BOSTON & MAINE R. R.

Corrected to October 12, 1903. Trains leave Merrimack street depot, Lowell, as follows:

For Boston, 5.43, 6.22, x6.42, *7.45, *8.50, *9.40, 11.00 a. m.; 1.40, 4.25, x5.44 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.45 a. m.

Trains leave Middlesex street station, Lowell, as follows:

For Boston, 5.46, 6.28, *6.39, x6.45, w6.50, 7.01, *7.24, 7.31, *7.48, w*8.00, *8.57, w9.25, *9.60, w10.50, 11.05, *11.43 a. m.; w12.05, 12.14, w12.45, 1.44, *1.56, w2.30, x3.03, w*3.10, *3.47, w3.55, 4.28, w5.06, 5.22, x5.49, w*6.15, *6.22, w7.00, 7.29, w9.25 p. m. SUNDAYS, 6.30, 7.24, w8.15, 8.48, 9.20 a. m.; w12.05, w4.05, 4.25, w5.30, 5.58, w8.00 p. m.

For Lawrence, 6.28, w6.50, z7.31, w8.30, w9.25, w10.50 a. m.; w12.05, 1.28, w2.30, w3.55, w5.06, w6.15, w7.00, w9.25, wq11.25 p. m. Sundays, w8.18 a. m.; w12.05, w5.30 p. m.

For Salem, Mass., 7.31 a. m.; w12.05, 1.28, a2.30, a3.55, w5.06, 5.28 p. m.

For Haverhill, 6.28, 6.50, z7.31, 8.30, 9.25, 10.50 a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, w3.55, w5.06, 6.15, 7.00, 9.25, q11.25 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m.; 12.05, 5.30 p. m.

For Newburyport, Amesbury and Portsmouth, 6.28 a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, 3.55, 6.15 p. m.

For Exeter and Dover, 6.28, 6.50, z7.31, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, 3.55, 5.06 p. m. SUNDAYS, 6.30 p. m.

For Rochester and Alton Bay, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 3.55 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Somersworth, N. H., Saco, Old Orchard and Portland, 6.28, 6.50, z7.31, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 3.55 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Augusta, Bath, Waterville, 6.28, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 5.06 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Lewiston, 6.28, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 5.06 p. m.

For Skowhegan, 8.30 a. m.

For Bangor, 6.28, 8.30 a. m., 5.06 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Rockland, 8.30 a. m., 12.05 p. m.

For St. John, N. B., Halifax, N. S., 5.06 p. m. (5.06 does not run Saturdays.) SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Eastport and St. John (via steamer from Portland,) on Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 12.05 p. m.

For Castine, Deer Isle, Sedgwick, Bar Harbor, Jonesport, Machiasport (via steamer Frank Jones from Portland,) Tuesday and Friday at 6.06 p. m. Last trip of season Oct. 30, 1903.

For Woburn, 6.28, 7.01, *7.18, 11.05 a. m.; 1.44, 4.28 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.48 a. m.; 4.25, 5.58 p. m.

For Ayer Junction, Stations on W. N. & P. and Fitchburg divisions, 7.07, 11.55 a. m.; 5.01 and 5.42 p. m. SUNDAYS, 2.15 p. m.

For Stations on W. N. & P. division, Nashua to Portland, Me., 9.03 a. m.; 13.40 p. m. to Rochester only.)

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, 9.03 a. m.; 1.00, 3.40, 5.39 p. m. SUNDAYS, 2 p. m.

For Greenfield, Peterboro, Bennington, Hillsboro and Keene, 9.03 a. m.; 3.40 p. m. SUNDAYS, to Hillsboro, 2 p. m.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, 7.30, 9.03, 9.39, *10.39, a. m.; *12.09, 1.00, *1.39, 3.40, *5.39, 6.27, *8.10, *9.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 10.02 a. m.; 2.00, 6.02, *8.10, *9.10 p. m.

For Franklin, Lebanon, White River Junction, 7.30, *9.39 a. m.; *12.09, *1.39 (to Franklin only.) 5.40, *b8.10 p. m.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport, (N. H.,) Claremont and Claremont Junction, 7.30 a. m.; 1.39 p. m.

For Stations on White Mt. Division, 9.39, *10.39 a. m.; 1.39 p. m. (5.39 p. m. to Plymouth); *b9.10, 9.24 p. m.

For St. Johnsbury and Lyndonville, via Wells River, *10.39 a. m.; *1.39, *b9.10 p.m.

For Montpelier, Essex Junction, Burlington, St. Albans, St. Johns and Montreal via Central Vermont line, *9.39 a. m.; *12.09, *b8.10 p. m.

For Montreal and Quebec, via Montreal and Boston Air line, *10.39 a. m.; *b9.10 p. m.

QUEBEC EXPRESS, via Plymouth and Sherbrooke, *10.39 a. m.; *9.10 p.m. (daily except Saturdays.

References:

aVia Wakefield Junction.

*Express. bDaily.

qWednesdays and Saturdays only.

wVia Western Division.

xVia Bedford, zVia Wilmington Junc.

D. J. FLANDERS, Gen. Pass. and Ticket Agent.

H. C. TAFT, General Agent, Lowell.

DRAGGED BY TRAIN

Walter Erwin Tells a Strange Story

OF ROBBERY BY COMPANIONS ON TRAIN

He Was Hurt in Following Them From Train

Walter Erwin, 22 residing at 149 Hudson street, Boston, was taken to St. John's hospital in the ambulance shortly after midnight this morning, suffering from a bad cut on the head, an injured back and probably internal injuries.

He claimed that while alighting from a train in South Lowell earlier in the evening, he fell and was dragged a considerable distance.

At first it was thought that his injuries were of a critical nature, but examination at the hospital brought out the fact that they were not as serious as were at first supposed. The injury to his head and back will not have any bad results, but he may have sustained internal injuries. The account of the accident and his travels were related at the police station, where he was taken before being sent to the hospital.

Erwin stated that he was on the train that reaches Lowell at 8.30 and was on his way from Boston into New Hampshire. He fell in, he said, with three men on the train, and played cards with them. They had liquor and he drank. The men got off the train at South Lowell and took with them his money and ticket. He followed them and in getting off the train he fell and was dragged along with the train for some distance. He made his way to the road and some man, who understood him to say that he lived in Wamesit street, brought him to the city and to Wamesit street. When it was discovered that the man did not live in Wamesit street, an officer who was passing was notified and the patrol was called to convey him to the police station.

Capt. Kew noted the condition of the man and at once ordered the ambulance called. He was taken to St. John's hospital. There it was found that there was a bad cut three inches long on the head, the back was badly scraped and there were many bruises on the body.

Upon arriving at the police station the man was minus one shoe, which had been torn off his foot and his clothing was badly torn and spattered with mud and blood. While the man claimed that he was on the 8.30 train it is probable that he was on a later one, as the 8.30 is an express and does not stop at any of the way stations. If he was on the 8.30 train as he claims he must either have jumped off or fallen off, but there is little doubt that his injuries would have been of a more serious nature if he had falein from the swiftly moving train.

MAY BE FLOATED.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., May 3.—The steamship Craigneuk, which stranded off South Brigantine on April 26 was moved 150 feet last night and it is thought she wil be floated tonight. The sea is too rough to lighten the cargo of sugar and it is being thrown overboard.

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Wm. H. Sullivan—Fish Dealer, at 611 Merrimack Street, "Billie" Sullivan as you know him will tell you a story about his Gas Range and no "fish story" either. Billie knows Fish from nose to tip of tail, and he knows how to cook them. Ask him when he calls for his orders this week what he thinks of our Gas Ranges.

Mrs. Francis Jewett—One of our most respected residents who still lives at the old home on Middlesex Street, has installed one of our up-to-date Gas Ranges. We appreciate the privilege of using her good name.

Joseph N. Tarte—And a sharp business man. Provisions, 71 Salem Street, adds his testimony as to the value of a Gas Range in the kitchen, and that after using one for two years. We ask his many customers when they go to his store to ask him for his opinion. What Mr. Tarte says, goes.

Mrs. George Blood—A woman who has successfully run a boarding house 20 years, and a woman who can do that in this town knows what's what. She isn't fooling with experiments in her kitchen, and what does she say? "Take away anything I've got, but leave that Gas Range." If you saw Mrs. Blood you would know why we consider her testimony of unusual value. Blood tells.

D. G. Hart—A Baker as is a Baker. He bakes as mother used to bake and his place of business is at 500 Merrimack Street. Speaking of his own home, where he has a Gas Range, he says: "We couldn't keep house without it." Undoubtedly he speaks from a baking standpoint. Could we possibly submit stronger evidence than this?

Mrs. L. T. Merrill—Is living in a model home at 298 Westford Street. She says her Gas Range is economical and indispensable—free from dirt and dust—cooks beautifully and requires the minimum of labor. Mrs. Merrill has told the whole story.

Henry A. Lemaitre—One of our French citizens, a Book-keeper at the establishment of P. Z. Hebert; Furniture, on Aiken Street. Mr. Lemaitre says of the cost of running a Gas Range: "It cost me double to run my kitchen fire with wood above what I now pay for my gas, to do all our cooking." The difference is the difference between $1.00 and $2.00. Worth saving these days, don't you think?

Mrs. Martha White—Lives in one of the old historic houses away up in the high numbers on Middlesex Street. Good old lady she is. There was no gas in the house. We put in a supply pipe so that she could have a Gas Range. Now she is happy and contented. Gets rid of lots of work, dirt and dust. We like to help the old folks. We had a mother once and we think of her at such times.

H. C. Brown—Does business at 36 Branch Street and lives at 23 Coral Street. Mr. Brown used to live at North Chelmsford. He was the first man to use a Gas Range in that village, and when he moved to Lowell the Gas Range came also. Same old story—could not live without it.

J. C. Donovan—Is the well known harness manufacturer on Market Street. Know him? Then you know his say so when said, counts. He lives at 658 Wilder Street, and he has used a Gas Range for years. Mr. Donovan says just one word: "Indispensable."

And Ever So Many More Who Tell the Same Story

NOW NOTE—We shall until further notice keep open store at 67 Merrimack St., (next Union National Bank) Monday and Saturday evenings, thus to accommodate those whose duties are such that they cannot get down town during the day.

ALSO NOTE—We make no discrimination in our customers. We fill our orders as they are filed. The wife of the next Police Commissioner will have to take her place in line like the rest. Be wise. Don't wait until the hot weather is actually here. We can't take care of you in a minute, then. Order now.

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THE WEATHER
The indications are that it will be fair tonight and also on Wednesday. There probably will be light variable winds.

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MAN ASPHYXIATED

Deaf Mute McCarthy Found in a Cellar

While trying to gain an entrance to Morris' boarding house at 95-97 John street, early this morning, John McCarthy, about 40 years of age, a deaf and dumb man, who has been boarding at that place for several weeks past, broke the gas main in the cellar and was asphyxiated, while the occupants of the house had a narrow escape from being overcome. Every one in the house was more or less affected by the escaping gas, but with four or five exceptions all were able to resume their duties this morning. McCarthys body was discovered by Mrs. J. J. Morris, who conducts the house, and while life was not extinct when the unfortunate man was discovered he was unconscious and died soon after. The

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IN POLICE COURT

Two Spotter Cases Were Continued

DOCK FULL OF DRUNKEN OFFENDERS

Many of the Old Timers Were Sent Away

Two of the so called spotter cases, James Carson and Thomas Sheehy, defendants, premises as described in the complaint, in Central street near the Opera house were scheduled for today and were continued to Thursday, D. J. Donahue appeared for the defendants. The spotters were not in police court.

BEGINNING SO SOON.

"Beginning so soon," said Judge Hadley as he scanned the sea of faces in the police court dock today. It was an old time aggregation and it spoke, plainer than words could speak, the difference between license and no-license. Four and five drunken offenders was about the average for the no-license year, and it is safe to predict that the average for the year dating from yesterday will more than double that.

Twenty-five was the total number of drunks in police court today. Two were out on bail and there was one woman in the lot. Three were released, 7 were fined $2 each and the others, all drunken offenders, were disposed of as follows: John H. Lynch, workhouse, 3 months; Mary A. Linnehan, workhouse, six months; Cornelius F. Sullivan, workhouse, one month; John F. Leary, state farm; John E. Quinn, workhouse, six months; Charles McCann, state farm; Charles F. Howard, jail, three months. John McGinley, Michael Dillon, Thomas Thompson, Thomas J. Moore, Edward F. Sheehan, Edward Dallaire, and Ethelbert E. Joy were fined $6 each.

SUSPICIOUS FIRES

MR. CASEY IS NOW INVESTIGATING THEM.

Fire Marshal's Aid Casey, of Haverhill, arrived in Lowell this morning, and with Chief Hosmer, of the fire department, made a tour of the city looking over the scenes of recent fires. Considerable time was spent in the investigation of the recent fires in the Silverblatt block in Broadway.

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New Design Shoe for Gentlemen

This shoe fills a long-felt want in men's footwear. If you notice every shoe you buy, no matter what's the price you pay, in nine cases out of ten, the shoe cuts into the foot at the vamp seam just where the lacing begins, sometimes taking the skin off the foot. In our shoe all that trouble is done away with; the shoe is just as smooth as if there was no tongue in it. They are made on the latest model lasts, soft Vici Kid upper stock, Hand-Sewed Welt.

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LOTS OF BREAD

35,000 Loaves Were Sent to Chicago

CHICAGO, May 3.—Thirty-five thousand loaves of bread were received in Chicago today from Pittsburg to relieve the famine threatened by the strike of bakers. Milwaukee and St. Louis bakeries were appealed to for a portion of the city's requirements, but refused to respond, fearing that a sympathetic strike in their own establishments might follow.

New employes are being engaged here and the nine large baking plants affected by the strike are expected to yield the customary output within a few days.

BAND CONCERTS

COMPLETE PROGRAM ARRANGED AT WORLD'S FAIR.

ST. LOUIS, May 3.—A complete program of band concerts was inaugurated today at the world's fair, the concerts being rendered by Sousa's, Innes' and Weil's bands, beginning in the early forenoon, continuing all day and until the closing time at night. Daily band concerts will be one of the features of the exposition.

It was announced today that the proposed running of the intramural railroad will be abandoned for about two weeks, owing to the necessity of utilizing the tracks for moving cars loaded with exhibits as fast as they arrive. It was expected that the intramural road would be opened to the public today but last night almost a thousand cars of exhibits arrived for distribution and it was deemed necessary to use the tracks and hurry the installation of exhibits as rapidly as possible.

WILL GET HELP

TO RUN THE SHOPS AT TOPEKA, KANSAS.

TOPEKA, Kan. May 3—A majority of the local shopmen of the Atchison, Topeka, and Santa Fe railroad, resumed their old places today, all the workmen except 200 union machinists going to work. Gen. Mgr. Mudge says there will be no trouble in securing the necessary men to run the shops at Topeka and other points on the system. Third Vice President Buckley of the machinists says the strike is not declared off and will not be until the Santa Fe company agrees to the proposition of the union.

At Albuquerque, San Bernardino, The Needles and far west points, the strike is much more affective than at Topeka.

WILL APPEAL

EX-BANK OFFICIALS WERE SENTENCED.

FREEHOLD, N. J., May 3.—The motion for a new trial for A. C. Twining, former president, and D. C. Cornell, former treasurer of the defunct Monmouth Trust Co., of Albany Park, was denied today by Justice Franklin Fort and sentence was pronounced upon the convicted ex-bank officials. Twining was sentenced to six years and Cornell to four years in state prison at hard labor. Counsel for the prisoners announced that an appeal would be taken and the two men were placed under $5000 bail each.

THE A. O. U. W. CASE

WAS HEARD BY JUDGE LATHROP TODAY.

BOSTON, May 3.—The question as to who are the legal officers of the grand lodge of the Ancient Order of United Workmen of Massachusetts was heard by Judge Lathrop in the Massachusetts supreme court today. The hearing was a result of a petition for a writ of mandamus against Calina A. Brown, as grand master workman and other officers brought by that faction of the grand lodge which favors affiliation with the supreme lodge. This faction contends that the officers headed by Mr. Brown were legally chosen and that the petitioners including John Simonds as grand master workman were not regularly elected.

POOR OVERSEERS

WILL APPROVE BILLS AT MEETING THIS EVENING.

Th overseers of the poor will meet this evening to approve monthly bills prior to the meeting of the committee on accounts.

WORK RESUMED.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., May 3.—The union stock yards resumed business today after the fire of last night. The loss is estimated today at $175,000.

ANOTHER ATTACK

Japanese Squadron Fired on Forts and Warships at Port Arthur

The Battle is Still in Progress—Thirty Japanese Prisoners Have Been Taken — Russian Emperor Greatly Grieved Over Losses in Battle at Yalu River—Not Much News From Seat of War

PORT ARTHUR, MAY 3—NOON—A JAPANESE SQUADRON APPEARED OFF PORT ARTHUR AFTER DAYBREAK TODAY AND ENGAGED THE FORTS AND WARSHIPS. THE FIGHTING IS STILL PROCEEDING. THIRTY JAPANESE PRISONERS HAVE BEEN CAPTURED.

RUSSIAN LOSSES WERE VERY HEAVY

ST. PETERSBURG, May 3, 2.25 p.m.—The silence of the authorities here regarding the later details of the fighting on the Yalu river is interpreted ominously and there is a consequent prevalence of all sorts of irresponsible rumors regarding the magnitude of the Russian losses, some figures going as high as 3000. These manifestly are gross exagerations.

The absence of official information is explained by the general staff by the fact that a few Japanese have succeeded in getting in the rear of the Russian position and cutting the wires between Taisancheng and Feng Wang Cheng.

Heavy losses are admitted, but they are not believed to exceed a few hundred men and some guns. The latter, while protecting the retreat of the Russian forces from Antung to Kiuliencheng, had to be abandoned owing to the loss of the horses. The breach locks however were carried away, so the guns will be of no service to the enemy.

According to the latest information, Gen. Zassalitch is retiring in good order along the main road and the Japanese are not following him. Details are expected as soon as Gen. Zassalitch is again in communication.

There is no confirmation of the reports that Gen. Zassalitch or Gen. Kashtalinsky is wounded.

In the meantime the public remains in the dark and is the prey of idle rumors. The war bulletin boards are bare and not a single press despatch has come through from the front. The figures of the Russian losses given from Japanese sources in the despatches from abroad are carefully eliminated by the censors. Until Gen. Zassalitch's official advices arrive the general staff is inclined to believe that Zassalitch who was under orders to withdraw after impeding the progress of the enemy as much as possible, allowed the fight to mature beyond his intentions, being compelled to sustain heavy losses along the Litzavenna river in order to extricate the retreating columns from Antung and Kiuliencheng. The fighting at Chingow was exceedingly severe and stubborn. The Japanese took up a position on both banks after Chingow had been shelled and came to close quarters, some desperate hand to hand work being reported, many of the Russian soldiers in the fever of combat refusing to retire at the command of their officers.

According to the general staff only about 9000 Russians were actually engaged at Kiuliencheng and along the Litzavenna were two regiments of Siberian riflemen of 3000 men each.

General Mistchenko (commander of the eastern Cossack brigade) had 1500 Cossacks protecting the Russian right flank lower down the Yalu and also a brigade of artillery, four batteries of eight guns each. Gen. Kurtsoff with 1500 Cossacks was higher up the Yalu guarding the road at Pusikhe, which leads direct to Mukden in order to prevent the column of the enemy using this for the purpose of outflanking the position at Feng Wang Cheng.

JAPANESE TROOPS CHASING RUSSIANS

SEOUL, Korea, May 3—It has been learned here that after the fighting of Sunday on the Yalu, the Japanese Monday started to pursue the enemy through the mountains. The Russian forces are said to number 10,000 men. They sustained heavy losses.

TOGO'S ATTEMPT WAS A FAILURE

ST. PETERSBURG, May 3, 3.48 p. m.—It is reported that Vice Admiral Togo made another desperate attempt to block the entrance of Port Arthur last night but failed. Viceroy Alexieff sent out a section of the fleet to meet the attack and sank eight fire ships and two Japanese torpedo boats. The channel is reported to be clear.

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STIR IN COMMONS

During the Debate on Budget Resolutions

LONDON, May 3.—Quite a stir was caused in the house of commons today, during the discussion of the budget resolution increasing the duties on tobacco and cigars by Reginald McKenna (liberal), who insinuated that the chancellor of the exchequer had been influenced by Joseph Chamberlain's tariff commission and a certain tobacco merchant who would reap direct benefit from an increased duty on stripped tobacco.

Mr. McKenna remarked on the extraordinary increase in the importation of unstripped tobacco in March by this representative of the tobacco trade, who is a member of the tariff commission. Both the chancellor of the exchequer, Austen Chamberlain and his father, jumped up and heartedly demanded that Mr. McKenna should formulate his charges in express terms. Mr. McKenna then disclaimed the slightest intention of imputing anything dishonorable to the chancellor of the exchequer, but he maintained that it was remarkable that a member of Mr. Chamberlain's commission correctly anticipated what the budget proposals were going to be.

ALFREDIANS CONVOCATION.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., May 3—The 34th annual convocation of the supreme council of the order of Alfredians was held in Alfredian hall, Wanskuck, with a good attendance. Much business was disposed of and the following officers were elected: Rt. Hon. Protector Edward A. Rickett; honorable chancellor, George H. Hall; honorable chaplain, Washington Broadhead; honorable treasurer, Allmiger R. England; honorable secretary, Edmund A. Truelove; honorable marshal, George Roberts, all of Providence; honorable inner guard, Albert Smith, New London, Conn.; honorable outer guard, Jonathan H. Houlker, Taunton, Mass.

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FATALLY BURNED

Little Girl's Hair Caught Fire

WARREN, R. I., May 3.—While attempting to curl her hair at her home this morning three-year-old Mary Papienska received fatal injuries. Her hair ignited from a lighted match and her body was frightfully burned. The mother was at work in a mill.

CHARLIE HAGHEY

WILL PUT UP HOT BOUT WITH BYERS.

Most boxing experts agree that George Byers and Charlie Haghey are capable of putting up a corking good bout in Portland tonight. It has often been said that Byers is one of the cleverest men in the country at his weight, and that condition only prevented him from being with the top notchers all the time. He says that today he is fit to spar for his life.

Charlie Haghey is considered a strong, hard hitting, two handed man. Much curiosity was aroused after Haghey's bout with "Black" Fitz, whom he only played with to see what he really could do. Against Byers he will have a splendid opportunity to satisfy this curiosity.

Here's a hot one in connection with Haghey. He got the decision over Jack McCormick in 10 rounds, and McCormick put Kid McCoy away in one.

FUNERALS

FLEMING—The funeral of the late Mary Fleming, mother of Councilman James Fleming, took place this morning at 8.30 o'clock from the home of her daughter, Mrs. James Reynolds, 17 Stanley street and was largely attended. A high mass of requiem was celebrated at St. Michael's church at nine o'clock by Rev. Francis Mullin and the choir under the direction of Mr. Thomas P. Bonfiglio sang the Gregorian mass. During the service appropriate selections were rendered by members of the choir.

There was a profusion of beautiful and appropriate floral offerings in evidence showing the esteem in which the deceased was held by her many friends and acquaintances.

The bearers were four grandsons of the deceased John Reynolds, Daniel Reardon, Joseph Burns and John King. The interment was in the Catholic cemetery where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Fr. Mullin. The funeral was under the direction of Undertaker Charles H. Molloy.

LOW RATE OF INTEREST.

NEW YORK, May 3—Call money loaned today at the lowest rate in years, something like $500,000 loaning at half of one per cent.

LEGACY TAX BILL

The House Refused to Reject it

BOSTON, May 3—The house today by a vote of 92 to 41 refused to reject the bill placing a tax of two per cent. on legacies and successions going through the probate court. The bill was the outcome of a recommendation of the governor in his inaugural for an increase in revenue for the state by such a tax. The bill was favorably reported by the committee on taxation, but adversely reported by the committee on ways and means. The debate continued over the greater part of today's session, but failed to prove sufficiently interesting to bring the members into the house and the result was that not more than a quarter of the members heard the arguments. The vote came on the question of rejecting the bill as recommended by the committee on ways and means.

MORE AWARDS

IN CONNECTION WITH ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL BAZAAR.

The out patient department table of St. John's hospital bazaar announces the following awards:

Barrel of flour, M. H. Carroll, 118 S. Highland street.

Chair, H. S. Taylor, 29 Twelfth street.

Hat, Mrs. T. A. D. Sullivan, 762 Broadway.

Silver cake tray, J. Cronin, 29 Swift street.

Basket, M. Meehan, Worthen street.

Candelabra, K. Maguire, Bradford.

Picture, G. King, 203 Lawrence street.

Military brush, K. Smith, 31 Gorham street.

Table cover, M. McCluskey.

Sofa cushion, Mr. Fitzpatrick, Bradford.

Battenburg collar, M. McCluskey.

Candelabra, K. E. Lewis, 24 Myrtle street.

Picture frame, Carrie Dent, 231 Cabot street.

Sunburst pin, Mr. Gleason, 14 Dunfey street.

Military brush, F. McLaughlin, 30 Pleasant street.

Barrel of flour, St. John's hospital.

BEEF CONTRACT

HAS NOT REACHED MAYOR HOWE AS YET.

Sec. Cheney stated this afternoon that as yet the contract for the city farm beef supply had not reached the mayor's office and hence His Honor has no official knowledge of its existence and has not called a hearing on the matter.

DANGER OF LOCKJAW

Man's Hand Shattered By a Blasting Cap

Accident Happened on South Common This Afternoon—He Was Showing Cap to a Friend When it Exploded — The Victim Refused to Remain in the Hospital

Peter Corcoran, 27, 332 Middlesex street, had his left hand shattered by a blasting cap in the South common this afternoon. While the doctors expect to save the hand he will not be able to use it for several months, and then there is a liability of tetanus or lockjaw setting in as there is a ragged wound in the fleshy part of the hand between the thumb and index finger.

Corcoran is a blaster, but was not working today. He was in company with another man on the South common this afternoon and while putting his hand in the pocket of his coat his fingers came in contact with a blasting cap which he had placed in his pocket. While showing the cap to his friend an explosion occurred which was heard for quite a distance. It was afterwards learned that Corcoran had a match in the same pocket with the cap and that the sulphur from the match had come in contact with the cap and when Corcoran pressed his hand on the cap the sulphur ignited it, causing the explosion.

With his hand badly shattered and bleeding freely, Corcoran had the presence of mind to rush to the Emergency hospital in Gorham street, where the doctors dressed the wound.

The principal wound is in the fleshy part of the hand, where a deep hole was made by the force of the explosion tearing the flesh and fragments of the bones away, while the remainder of his hand is shattered and badly burned.

After the hand was dressed the doctors advised Corcoran to stay in the hospital for a week or so as the wound will need the constant attendance of a doctor, owing to the probability of lockjaw setting in. Corcoran decided to stay, but after partly undressing he decided to leave the hospital, saying that he wanted to be out in the air as the day was good.

One of the officials at the hospital said that Corcoran roomed out, and as he would have no one to attend to his injury the result of the wound may prove more serious.

MAKING THE HAY

John Fleming Gathered Some and Wants Pay

FOR JOSHUA DANIELS OF TEWKSBURY

The Latter Says It Was Not Well Cured

The Joshua Daniels hay case came up on continuance in police court, civil session, this afternoon.

The complainant in the case is John H. Flemings and he seeks to recover $100 which he claims is due him for cutting and storing hay for Mr. Daniels.

Mr. Daniels said that the hay was cut and stored when the weather did not warrant it, and that there was one field included in the contract which Mr. Flemings did not cut at all and that instead of him owing Mr. Flemings $100, the later owes him $120.

Three new witnesses were heard for the complainant this afternoon and they said that the hay was gathered in good shape and when the weather was favorable. The hay, they said, was cured in good shape.

Daniel Cronin said he assisted Mr. Flemings in gathering the hay and he said: "I never saw hay go to the mow in better condition."

Mr. Daniels was called and testified as follows:

"What is your name?"

"Joshua Wentworth Daniels."

"How are old are you?"

"I am now pursuing my eighty-fourth birthday and hope to overtake it."

"Do you know John Flemings?"

"I can't say I know him—I am acquainted with him."

"Tell us all about the making of the contract."

"Mr. Flemings said he would fix the number of acres at 25. I told him I wanted him to cut the hay for fear that I would not care it myself. He named $5 an acre for the whole 25 acres."

"What is the difficulty of getting the hay on the river lot?"

"The bottom is very rough and the acclivity of the ascent to the barn made it impossible for one horse to draw it to the barn."

"It was worth more than three times as much to gather from the river lot than from the other fields."

"Do you keep a transaction of your daily affairs?"

"Yes, I have since I was ten years of age. It is the last thing I do before going to bed at night."

Mr. Daniels had a diary which he asked to be allowed to read in order to refresh his memory.

He read that on July 7 Flemings called and told him why he couldn't cut the hay that day.

"July 8, Flemings began to cut the hay with the assistance of one man and made a good beginning.

"Aug. 1st, Flemings had all the hay cut but the river lot."

In the reading of the diary Mr. Daniels told of the condition of the weather on certain days and how the thermometer stood. He dealt with details despite the best efforts of his counsel to prevent him.

He said that some of the grass which Mr. Flemings put in was so green that he could squeeze water out of it. He had to take it from the barn and put it out to air. Mr. Daniels was on the witness stand at the time of going to press."

SPOTTER CASES

16 More Warrants Will be Asked

The spotter cases it appears are not at an end though the no-license year is finished, for it is understood that today information upon which to base 16 more cases were sent to this city by the spotters and warrants will be asked for and served within a short time.

The action of some of the defendants in pleading guilty appears to have given the spotters new courage after the setbacks they received in the beginning.

MORE INDICTMENTS

WERE RETURNED AGAINST DAVID ROTHSCHILD.

NEW YORK, May 3—The grand jury today returned two additional indictments against David Rothschild, former president of the defunct federal bank. Four indictments are now pending against the entangled financier, who is still imprisoned in the Tombs through his inability to secure the $25,000 bail under which he is held.

The two indictments returned today charge grand larceny in the first degree. Rothschild will be called to plead on the new indictments tomorrow.

STORM GUARDS REMOVED.

The employes of the street department removed the storm guards from Centralville bridge this morning.

REPAIRING STREETS.

A gang of men are busily engaged today repairing some bad places in the smooth paving in Charles street, between Gorham and Central streets.

MATCH FOR WILLIE CONNOLLY.

The manager of Young Kenny, the boxer, would like to meet Willie Connolly, the ex-amateur, or his manager, at The Sun office tomorrow evening to talk over the prospect of a match between the two.

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NO RACE SUICIDE

Lowell Shows Most Commendable Vital Conditions

Annual Report for 1903 Shows Over 600 More Births Than Deaths—Ward Seven the Banner Ward for Births — Year's Record of Births, Marriages and Deaths

If there are any persons in Lowell who are fearful lest the growing evil of race suicide may have gotten root in this city let them read the city clerk's annual report of the births, marriages and deaths for 1903, which shows the gratifying fact that the births in the past year outnumbered the deaths by over 600, while there are other interesting features to it.

Here is the report:

Wards	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	Not given	Tot'l
Whole number	157	271	229	250	274	298	555	239	230	7	2614
Males	68	139	122	124	139	153	303	128	117	4	1297
Females	89	132	107	126	135	145	256	111	113	3	1217

American parents, 455; Foreign parents, 1531; American father and foreign mother, 261; foreign father and American mother, 243; parents' nationality unknown, 24. Twins—ward one, 3; two, 3; three, 3; four, 2; five, 2; six, 3; seven, 6; eight, 4; nine, 2. Total, 28. Still-births, not included above, 124. Increase over 1902—18.

The number of intentions of marriages issued in 1903 was 1011, or 59 less than in 1902.

The number of marriages recorded was 1026, being 49 less than in 1902. The number of marriages solemnized in Lowell was 935; solemnized elsewhere, 91. The greatest number of marriages solemnized in any one month occurred in June, 131, and the smallest number, 51, in May.

The nationality of the contracting parties is as follows:

	Grooms	Brides
United States	463	421
Canada	219	227
Ireland	93	108
England	57	69
British Provinces	45	56
Scotland	13	18
Austria	27	30
Norway and Sweden	12	10
Portugal and Western Islands	20	22
Greece	33	33
Russia and Poland	20	18
Other Countries	21	12
Unknown	2	..

The oldest couple married: Groom 66, bride, 67. The youngest couple married, groom 17, bride 17. Oldest person, 87; youngest person, 16; Grooms under 21 years of age, 67. Brides under 18 years, 26.

The total number of deaths returned in the city clerk's office for the year 1903 was 1939; of these 42 were residents of Lowell who died elsewhere, making the number of deaths returned and recorded as having occurred in Lowell exclusive of still births, 1897, a decrease from 1902 of 47. Males, 933; females, 964; persons between 80 and 90 years, 73; persons over 90 years, 14.

RANKS ARE FIRM

PLASTERERS DID NOT REPORT FOR WORK.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., May 3.—No breaks from the ranks of the plasterers who went out yesterday developed today, there appearing to be hope of speedy settlement of the difficulties. The bakers, of whom there are about 200 in this city, continued at work, as they expect that their requests will be granted within a short time.

Demands by carpenters are under consideration by the master carpenters, it being said that the latter are willing to agree to the demands if the union will sign an arbitration agreement.

WAGON DRIVERS

STRIKE OUT OF SYMPATHY WITH BAKERS.

BROCKTON, Mass., May 3.—The bakery wagon drivers' union, last night, voted to strike today in sympathy with the members of the bakers' union, who went out Sunday. They put the vote into effect this morning. Sixty men are involved. This number includes men working on bakers who have signed the union's proposition and those who have not, throughout this district. The strike of the bakers remains about the same. The employing bakers are making no effort to fill the strikers' places.

MONEY ON CALL.

NEW YORK, May 3.—Noon—Money on call firmer at 1¼ @ 1½ per cent.; prime mercantile paper, 3¾ @ 4½.

Exchanges, $253,087,003; balances, $17,661,805.

MILITARY FIELD DAY.

NEWPORT, R. I., May 3. A new feature to break up the monotony of regular routine was introduced today among the troops of the Narragansett defence district, when a military field day was held at Fort Adams. The men to the number of about 500, participated in athletic sports. The officers and their families were present and many spectators from this city saw the sport. In the afternoon a baseball game was played between mines representing the married men and single men.

COTTON FUTURES.

NEW YORK, May 3.—Cotton futures opened today steady at the decline. May, 13.24; June, 13.35; July, 13.48; Aug., 13.20; Sept., 11.78; Oct., 11.51; Nov., ——; Dec., 11.17; Jan., 11.20.

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BIG INCREASE

IN MEMBERSHIP OF KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS.

CONCORD, N. H., May 3—The New Hampshire state council, Knights of Columbus, met here in annual convention today at Knights of Columbus hall, being called to order at 11 o'clock in the forenoon by State Deputy Frederick J. Sexton of this city. Nearly all the officers and delegates from this city, Manchester, Nashua, Dover, Portsmouth, Laconia and Berlin were in attendance.

The state deputy in his annual report reviewed the condition of the order in the country at large, showing a flattering increase in membership and stating that New Hampshire's portion in the satisfactory situation was a gain of [illegible] councils and a substantial increase in membership.

Various committees submitted reports and routine business was transacted, after which officers were elected and adjournment taken.

SLEPT ON TRACK

EDWARD MARTIN KILLED BY A TRAIN.

FRANKLIN, N. H., May 3—Edward Martin of Mapleville, R. I., was killed by an early train on the Boston & Maine railroad near here today.

Martin was apparently asleep on the track. A companion who was with him yesterday informed the police that Martin had expressed himself as being despondent and it was thought he may have committed suicide. Little is known about the man here but he is supposed to have been a woolen mill weaver. His age was 25.

MASTER BAKERS

GIVING INTO THE JOURNEYMEN'S DEMANDS.

LYNN, Mass., May 3—More master bakers signed the journeymen's agreement today, making 15 in all, though the master bakers have at their meetings voted to remain firm in resisting the demands of the union for the 54 hour week with 60 hour pay.

Today the shortage of bread and pastry began to be felt. One central restaurant was unable to provide pie for the noon trade and gave notice that no pastry will be served until Thursday.

GRAND LODGE I. O. O. F.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., May 3—The Rhode Island grand lodge of Odd Fellows met for their annual convention in Masonic hall in this city today, and there was a spirited fight for the office of grand warden, which brought out nearly all the past grand masters in the jurisdiction. Satisfactory reports from the different departments were presented, although a slight decrease was shown in the total membership of the Odd Fellows, while a corresponding increase was shown among the Rebekahs.

WORLD'S FAIR TICKETS.

CHICAGO, Ill., May 3.—The time limit of St. Louis world's fair tickets has been extended by nearly all of the western roads from 10 to 15 days. Seven of the lines have so far extended the time limit. They are the Burlington, Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul, Rock Island, Frisco, Illinois Central, Missouri Pacific and Union Pacific.

Little Miss Mary Alice Kay, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Kay of 809 Lawrence street, observed her 9th birthday anniversary at the home of her parents, Monday, in a pleasant manner.

HIS WIFE OBJECTS

Move to Have Brewer Case Reopened

Mrs. Della Brewer, the 33-year-old wife of septuagenarian Thomas H. Brewer of Billerica, has filed objections to the decision of the Middlesex divorce court, Judge Sheldon, granting her insane husband a decree nisi on the grounds of desertion. Her reasons are stated as follows:

First, on the 30th day of March, 1896, after they had been married a few months, by means of fraudulent representations, she was induced to release her rights of dower and homestead in her husband's property assessed at $100,000 and mortgaged for about $52,000. Della, on Dec. 15, 1903, brought a bill of complaint against her husband asking that the guardian of her insane husband be enjoined from disposing of the estate until her rights should be adjudicated.

Second, the very day Fannie Frost, Brewer's daughter, had been appointed guardian ad litem of Della's husband, she brought a libel for divorce.

Third, at the trial neither guardian nor libellant appeared in court, and no evidence was offered to show Brewer was capable of instructing counsel.

Fourth, that, through inadvertence of petitioner, the bill of complaint asking for an injunction had not been offered as evidence at the trial to show the motive of guardian in bringing libel. The failure to introduce such evidence, she claims will cause irreparable injury to petitioner.

Fifth, the burden of proof is on the libellant.

Sixth, no evidence was offered to show that libellant is insane.

Seventh, petitioner prays that the omitted bill of complaint may now be admitted as evidence.

HEAVY STONE

REMOVED FROM ENTRANCE TO ALBION BUILDING THIS MORNING.

The work of removing an old-fashioned stone threshold from the entrance of the Albion building onto one of Contractor Conlon's wagons attracted the attention of many passersby in Merrimack street this forenoon. The stone weighs 2400 pounds and yet was handled with ease by two men aided by rollers and crowbars and a knowledge of how to use them. The stone threshold had been in place since the building was erected and is one of the kind that are fast disappearing from in front of buildings, the modern kind being much lighter than the ponderous solid stone put in by the builders of years gone by.

MAYOR ACCEPTS

THE GIFT OF COLOR SERGEANT CROWLEY'S SWORD.

Mayor Howe, this morning, received a letter from John B. Crowley, writing in behalf of Mrs. Marietta F. Lawrence of East Whitman, Mass., daughter of the late Captain Timothy Crowley, presenting the city with the sword carried by Captain Crowley through the streets of Baltimore, as published in The Sun a few days ago. This afternoon Mayor Howe wrote a letter to Mrs. Lawrence accepting the sword on behalf of the city and promising to attend personally to the matter of giving it a prominent place among the relics of the civil war now in Memorial hall.

WAS REMOVED

POSTMASTER AT THREE RIVERS QUITS OFFICE.

PALMER, Mass., May 3.—Edward F. Shaw, postmaster at Three Rivers, has been removed on complaint of Inspector Birdseye of the postal department. Whatever trouble, if any, has been found in the accounts has been adjusted by bondsmen for Mr. Shaw. The former postmaster was appointed during the first McKinley administration. He is a well-known business man of Three Rivers, having conducted a general store there since 1881.

JANOWSKI LEADS

IN THE TOURNAMENT OF CHESS MASTERS.

CAMBRIDGE SPRINGS, Pa., May 3—Previous to the beginning of play in the international chess masters tournament, now in progress in this city, the players were photographed in a group. This caused considerable delay at the beginning of the day's play.

The men faced each other in the following order, the openings adopted on each board being given at the same time:

First table, Delmar vs. Showalter, four knights game.

Second table, Marco vs. Hodges, Ruy Lopez.

Third table, Napier vs. Teichmann, Queens gambit, declined.

Fourth table, Fox vs. Schlechter, Queen's gambit declined.

Fifth table, Marshall vs. Lawrence, Queens gambit declined.

Sixth table, Pillsbury vs. Lasker, Queens gambit declined.

Seventh table, Barry vs. Mieses, Sicilian defence.

Eighth table, Tschigorin vs. Janowski, Ghico piano.

The game left adjourned yesterday between Showalter and Janowski was called a draw by agreement. Hence Janowski was leading Lasker, Marshall, Mieses and Teichmann with half a point before play was begun today.

AMERICAN BARK DISMASTED.

CHATHAM, Mass., May 3—The dismasted bark which was sighted off here under a jury rig last night is believed to be the American bark Auburndale bound from the Barbadoes for Boston. She was making good progress and with fair weather today should be well on her way to port by night.

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ONE OR MORE OF THE MEMBERS

Will Continue to Hunt Speak Easies

JUDGE HADLEY WOULD LIKE STATISTICS

Showing the Liquor Importations for a License Year

One or more of the liquor squad officers will continue as liquor officers until such time as the speak-easies have been crushed out.

Supt. Moffatt refused to state today what disposition would be made of the officers of the liquor squad now that the license year has been ushered in.

"Will they go back to their beats?" asked The Sun reporter.

"I am not prepared to answer that question," replied Mr. Moffatt. "It would not be for the best interest of the department to say what disposition will be made of the liquor squad officers."

"Will the affair be attended to at the meeting of the police board tonight?"

"It might be, but I hardly think so."

"Will a permanent liquor inspector be retained?"

"Yes, until such time as the speak-easies have been done away with."

"Will more than one of the liquor officers be retained in his present position?"

"I must refuse to answer that question. I am not prepared to answer it at this time."

JUDGE HADLEY'S VERSION.

Judge Hadley said: "Why not continue Officer McCloughrey in his labor of furnishing statistics of liquor importations into the city, and see how the amount imported in a no-license year compares with a license year. The friends of no-license have as much claim upon his services during the coming year as the enemies of no-license have had in the past year. 'Fair play is a jewel.' 'Always carry the dish straight.'"

The papers that have so diligently set forth the importations of liquors into Lowell during the no-license year will or should strain a point to continue the work during the license year. A comparison of the importations at the end of the year would be interesting to say the least. Judge Hadley's suggestion is a good one.

SISTER BENARDINE

FORMERLY LOCATED IN LOWELL, IS DEAD.

The sister superior at St. Mary's convent, Cambridgeport, died Sunday afternoon of pneumonia. In religion she was known as Sister Ann Bernardine of Notre Dame. She was a Belgian woman and had been located in Philadelphia, Lowell and Boston before going to St. Mary's 15 years ago.

BILLERICA

List of unclaimed mail matter at postoffice May 2 ,1904: Mrs. Mary Etta Boyden, Mrs. A. E. Burrell, Mr. Byron, E. G. Costello, Miss Mary Frank Eastman, Miss Nathalie Hanquesa, Jamison & Spear, Josiah Bros., Mrs. R. S. McCausland, A. J. McKay, Hans Nelson, Louise Smith.

SHE COMPOSED SONGS.

CHICAGO, Ill., May 3.—Mrs. Arabella Rool Del Armitage, aged 50 years, is dead at her home here as the result of a paralytic stroke. She was the founder of the Drexel Boulevard old men's social club and a member of the progressive health club and the women's relief corps. Mrs. Del Armitage has been active in charity work in London, Paris, Boston, and New York. Mrs. Del Armitage was the composer of several songs and poems.

K. OF C. CONVENTION.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., May 3.—There was a full representation of delegates when State Deputy M. J. Cummings called the annual state convention of the Knights of Columbus to order in Arcanum hall this afternoon. Reports submitted showed the condition of the order to be numerically and financially good.

RECEIVER NAMED.

AMHERST, May 3—By order supreme court, James Rogers of Montreal has been appointed receiver of the Canada Coal and Railway Co., which owns coal mines at the Joggins and elsewhere and a railway running to them. Arrangements are being made for a resumption of work. The amount of liabilities is not known.

OLDEST PRINTER DEAD.

MILFORD, Mass., May 3—James I. C. Cook, who it is claimed was the oldest printer in the United States, if not in the world, died here today of old age in his 87th year. Mr. Cook was the senior proprietor of the Milford Journal and had set type up to a few weeks before his death. Born in Bellows Falls, Vt., Mr. Cook first learned the printing trade in that town at the age of 13 years. In 1872 he moved to this town where with his two sons he purchased the Journal. Mr. Cook was married to Miss Marion E. Robertson at Putney, Vt., in 1840 and had four children, two of whom survive.

THE QUINCY STRIKE.

QUINCY, Mass., May 3.—The situation at the Fore River Ship and Engine Co.'s works today showed no important change, as far as the strike of the employes was concerned. Few, if any, of the old hands were seeking work today and new men making application were no more numerous than old ones. Everything was quiet.

MAN ASPHYXIATED

(Continued.)

body was removed to the funeral parlors of Undertaker Charles H. Molloy in Market street.

McCarthy had resided at Carney's boarding house in Market street until recently when he secured a room at Morris' boarding house in John street, and as he was out of work he was going to do some work around the house and whitewash the different rooms. He spent the greater part of yesterday outside the house and had been drinking some. When it came time to close the house last night McCarthy did not put in an appearance and after sitting up for some time after the usual hour, Mrs. Morris retired, feeling confident that if he came around later she would hear him and let him in.

From what passersby saw it is evident that McCarthy tried to get into the house about one o'clock this morning and that he tried all the doors and found them locked. Noticing one of the cellar windows in the front of the house open he must have crawled through it into the cellar. The main gas pipe is directly below this window and he either fell after getting through the window and struck the pipe or else he stepped on it and was overcome by the escaping gas.

The force of his body striking the pipe bent it and the pipe was broken in several places allowing large quantities of gas to escape which found its way through the house.

About ten minutes past four this morning Mrs. Morris awoke and found her room full of gas. Thinking that she might have forgot to turn off the gas or that it might have accidentally been turned on, she tried the gas cocks in her room and finding that they were turned off, went through a portion of the house and found no gas escaping anywhere, but every room seemed to be filled with gas.

She finally decided that it was sewer gas and went back to bed again, but was unable to sleep and shortly after 4.30 o'clock made a more thorough investigation of the building. After going through the upper portion of the house, she went down to the cellar door, and was almost overcome by the odor of gas. Wetting her apron, she put it to her face and made her way to the gas meter which she felt confident must be out of order and intended shutting off the gas. When she reached the front portion of the cellar she saw that the main pipe was badly bent and that the gas was escaping in large quantities. On turning around she also encountered the body of the McCarthy man, who was lying on his back with his hands crossed over his breast.

She ran up stairs and opening the front door, saw a police officer further up the street and attracting his attention told him of the body in the cellar. The officer with the assistance of several of the men in the house took out the cellar windows and brought the man into the yard in the rear. Life was not quite extinct and while the ambulance was summoned the men worked over McCarthy trying to revive him.

When the ambulance doctor arrived he pronounced the man dead and the body was taken to the funeral parlors of Undertaker Molloy.

Everyone in the house was affected more or less by the gas. Some of the occupants managed to overcome the stupor so as to go to work. Michael McMahon and John Clayton were badly overcome by the gas and required medical treatment. Mrs. Morris' ten year old daughter was seized with vomiting spells when she awoke and another child five years of age was also badly affected, but all are out of danger.

McCarthy was a wool sorter by trade and had been employed at the Middlesex mills, but work in his line has been slack for some time and of late he had been doing odd jobs about the house.

Mr. Albion Goldthwaite, foreman of the Massachusetts repair shop, has resigned his position. He and Mrs. Goldthwaite have gone to Los Angeles Cal., where they will reside.

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MILLS MAY CLOSE

Operatives in Fall River Are Very Uneasy

FALL RIVER, Mass., May 3.—Reports from many of the corporations which have been shutting down their mills two days each week indicate that the curtailment of the past month has been largely disappointing in its results. Some of the manufacturers favor a complete shutdown of all the cotton mills here unless relief is shortly forthcoming from purchasers. The operatives are manifesting symptoms of uneasiness.

A shutdown will not be ordered, however, until the present plan has been tried out further, but as yet the demand for goods has not appreciably increased while prices have recently fallen.

Advices from other mill towns also indicate a slow demand for goods and that the curtailment movement is extending. The number of employes in New England already affected is estimated at 40,000.

MURDER CHARGED

Woman Found Dead in Her Room

NEW YORK, May 3.—Attracted by a man's cries for help, tenants in a flat building on West Fortieth street today found Mrs. Mary A. Kaufmann dead in bed in her apartment and Adolph Koenig, aged 26, lying by her side, with an ugly knife wound in his abdomen. Koenig said that he found the woman dead when he called at the house about midnight and that, overcome by grief, he decided to end his life. The police, however, assert the woman's death was due to violence and Koenig is under arrest. A neighbor who is said to have heard Koenig threaten the woman's life in a quarrel last night, the police say will be a valuable witness.

WORLD'S FAIR

CONNECTICUT'S STATE BUILDING WAS DEDICATED.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., May 3.—The feature of today's program at the Louisiana Purchase exposition was the dedication of Connecticut's state building. The building is located immediately east of Pennsylvania's building on the plateau of states and is a reproduction of the old mansion at Hartford that was occupied by Lydia Huntley Sigourney, who was famous as a writer of poetry. The furnishings are full of historical interest.

The assemblage for the dedication ceremonies was called to order by President S. L. Wilcox, of the Connecticut state committee, who formally tendered the building to the state. The building was accepted by Lieut. Gov. Roberts, in a brief address.

Vice president of the state committee, Chas. Phelps, then made an address in which he spoke of the different contributions that Connecticut had made to the exposition. Other addresses followed by Walter B. Stevens, secretary of the exposition; F. M. Judson, I. F. Parker and Hobart Brinslade of St. Louis; Gen. Phelps Montgomery of New Haven, Conn.; National Commissioner F. A. Betts and F. W. Beebe, superintendent of the public schools at New Haven, Conn. The ceremonies concluded with the singing of "America" by the audience. All the members of the Connecticut state world's fair commission were present.

OUT OF BUSINESS

STEAMSHIP SERVICE ABANDONED DURING THE WAR.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., May 3—With the sailing of the America Maru on the twelfth instant the Toyo Kisen Kaisha will abandon its steamship service between this port and the Orient until the close of the war between Japan and Russia.

This information has been given out officially. It is almost certain the Nippon Maru, sister ship of the American Maru has been sunk by the Russians. The company has therefore no vessels for its San Francisco service. Even if the company had available steamers it is doubtful if it could do any business in and out of this port. War insurance is up to 45 per cent. on cargo and on Japanese vessels.

WASHINGTON PAPERS SOLD.

NEW YORK, May 3—Prices considerably above the average have been paid for George Washington papers during the sale of the late Bishop Hurst's library.

Washington's own copy of his "Official Letters Written to Congress," London, 1775, in two volumes, brought $2,810.

Nine other books bearing Washington's autograph were sold. The highest priced item was a copy of Gibbon's Decline and Fall of the Roman Empire, London, 1783, in six volumes, for $1,626.

The entire set brought only $21 at a sale of Washington's books held in Philadelphia in 1876.

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RECEIVER ASKED

Action Against Lowell & Boston Railway Co.

BOSTON, May 3.—The National Exchange bank of Providence filed two bills in the U. S. circuit court today against the Lowell and Boston street railway company and the Concord and Boston street railway company, seeking the appointment of receivers for each company. The court issued subpoenas returnable Monday for the defendants to show cause why the receivers should not be appointed. The bank alleges that the Lowell and Boston company is indebted to it for $9,000, that it has bonds outstanding to the amount of $9,000 and promissory notes for $325,000. The bank alleges that the Concord and Boston company is indebted to it for $10,000 and that it has notes outstanding to the amount of $87,000.

TWO RECEIVERS

For the Bristol County Railway Company

BOSTON, May 3.—John P. Burnett of Southboro and John L. Hall of Boston, were today appointed receivers for the Bristol county street railway company.

The petition for receivers was filed by the Pacific Surety Co. of California on the ground that the railway company is insolvent, having failed to meet a promissory note for $5,000 with interest made in favor of the petitioner. The surety company alleges also that the railway company owes $250,000 on other promissory notes and that its franchise recently was sold at auction for non-payment of taxes to the city of Taunton. It is also alleged that the affairs of this road are interdependent with those of the Middleboro, Wareham and Buzzards Bay street railway, which recently was placed in the hands of receivers, both companies having been managed by having been under one management with headquarters in Boston. The street railway company consents to the receivership.

ATTEMPT FAILED

TO HAVE COMMERCIAL COMMISSION HEARING POSTPONED.

BOSTON, May 3.—The effort of the Boston chamber of commerce to have postponed the date for the interstate commerce commission hearing on inland freight differentials to various Atlantic seaports has failed and the hearing will be held on May 18 at New York, as scheduled. The delay was asked for on the ground that the issues could not be properly prepared for presentation on May 18, but the interstate commerce commission finds that the date originally mentioned is one most convenient for all parties concerned and that a postponement could not be granted without seriously interfering with other engagements of the commission. Boston is greatly interested in the hearing from the fact that exports from Boston declined more than 34 per cent. from 1891 to 1903, while the decline at New York was but two per cent. and it is contended that discrimination in inland freight rates is responsible for the condition.

BOARD OF REVIEW

TO ACT ON PETITIONS OF SUSPENDED DRIVERS.

NEW YORK, May 3.—The board of review of the National Trotting association assembled at the Murray Hill hotel today. The full board was present, consisting of Major P. P. Johnston of Lexington, Ky., president; Morgan G. Bulkeley of Hartford, Conn., vice president; W. H. Gocher, Hartford, Conn., secretary; W. R. Allen of St. Louis, Mo., representing the central section; John C. Welty, of Canton, Ohio, representing the western section; J. M. Johnson of Calais, Me., representing the eastern section, and W. Perry Taylor of Buffalo, N. Y., representing the Atlantic section.

Major Johnston, who presided, said that apart from the consideration of applications for reinstatement of various drivers and others under expulsion or suspension, he knew of little that would engage the attention of the board. These will be considered in executive session and the decision rendered later.

MOSS APPOINTED

HE IS NOW A CITY MAGISTRATE.

NEW YORK, May 3.—Joseph F. Moss, a member of the law firm of Howe and Hummel, was appointed a member of the board of city magistrates today by Mayor McClellan to fill the unexpired term of Magistrate Zeller, who was appointed to the court of special sessions.

COLLEGE BURNED

The Students and Faculty Made Their Escape

CARMEL, N. Y., May 3.—Drew college, one of the pioneer education institutions for women in the country, was destroyed by fire today, entailing a financial loss of fully $100,000, with only $5,000 insurance. The big dormitory which housed more than a hundred students, the members of the faculty and a number of servants, fortunately was the last building to catch fire and all escaped without danger.

The fire started in Smith memorial hall and when it was discovered had gained such headway as to be practically beyond control.

The early alarm gave the occupants ample time to escape. The cause of the fire is unknown.

Drew college was conducted under the guidance of the New York conference of the Methodist Episcopal church.

RETURN TO WORK

BOILERMAKERS AT THEIR OLD PLACES.

BOSTON, May 3.—The Boston and Albany railroad officials here today announced that the boilermakers employed at Rensselaer repair shops of the Boston and Albany division of the New York Central, who struck for the reinstatement of two men who were discharged from the West Springfield shops returned to work today. It is expected that similar action will be taken by the men at West Springfield by tomorrow.

BROOKS COMET

HAS BEEN OBSERVED BY ITS DISCOVERER.

GENEVA, N. Y., May 3.—The Brooks comet was observed by its discoverer, Dr. Wm. R. Brooks, at Smith observatory last night after a long interval of cloudy weather. Its position was right ascension 16 hours three minutes fifty seconds, declination north 52 degrees, 59 minutes. The comet is now on the northern border of the constellation Hercules and moving toward the head of Draco, the daily rate of motion being north half a degree and west three minutes 45 seconds.

DEATHS

KELLY—Hannah Kelly, aged 72 yrs. 10 months and 28 days, died this morning at her home, Cold Springs, Westford. The body will be sent to St. Stephen, N. B., tomorrow by Undertaker C. H. Molloy.

TWOMEY—Mary Twomey, aged 61 years, wife of the late Dennis, died this morning at her late home, 566 Market street. She was an old and highly esteemed member of St. Patrick's parish.

TAYLOR—Mrs. Daniel G. Taylor, aged 67 years, died at her residence, 19 Doane street, yesterday. Deceased was a native of England. She came to the United States when quite young, and was for many years an active worker in the Worthen Street M. E. church. Mrs. Taylor was a sincere Christian, and of late years was identified with the Chelmsford Street F. B. church, where she was leader in the Bible class. The cause of her death was apoplexy.

Mrs. Taylor is survived by her husband, a brother, Rev. Dr. G. Read, and three sisters, Mary G. Cassidy, and Martha and Emma Reed.

FISKE—Oliver Fiske, an old resident, died at his home in No. Chelmsford, yesterday, aged 84 years.

PLUNKETT—Mrs. Mary Plunkett, widow of the late John Plunkett, died this morning at her home, 36 West L street.

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RUSSIAN-JAPANESE WAR

(Continued.)

LONDON PLEASED OVER JAPS' VICTORY

LONDON, May 3—The latest despatches received here confirming the completeness of the Japanese victory on the Yalu could hardly have given greater satisfaction in Tokio than they have in London. The editorials in the morning papers ring with admiration at the success of Gen. Kuroki's strategy in a manner indicating that Great Britain had been in considerable doubt as to the capacity of her ally's troops when matched against the Russians and, despite the lack by Japan of good cavalry to follow up her victory, it is believed she will speedily drive the Russians out of Feng Huan Cheng also.

Few further details have yet been received, but it seems that the Japanese imperial guards fought with conspicuous bravery and sustained the brunt of the fighting, losing heavily. Some accounts speak of bayonet charges.

It is evident that the Japanese success is largely due to the superiority of their artillery, the Russian guns being too light.

The Japanese victory has caused complete surprise in the European capitals, and is expected to lead to difficulties in Russia trying to raise a loan.

Unconfirmed reports of severe fighting between 3,000 Russians and a similar number of Japanese at Gen San are sent by the Standard's St. Petersburg correspondent, who says the Japanese were compelled to retire into Gen San, both sides losing heavily. Two Russian officers are said to have been among the wounded.

The Standard's Tien Tsin correspondent cabling under date of May 2, states that Viceroy Alexieff has sent a lengthy despatch to General Ma, commanding the Chinese troops, informing him that the occasion may arise for Russia to increase her forces in Sin Min Tung, Cheng Yang, and other places, and requesting him to withdraw the Chinese military and police. An answer, the correspondent says, is required within three days.

As an indication of Gen. Kuropatkin's anxiety regarding the whereabouts of Japan's second army, the Morning Post's Shanghai correspondent says that all the Russian troops stationed in Chang Chu, Fu Chau, Hai Cheng Kai Ping, and other places have been despatched along the seacoast to watch for a Japanese landing.

According to the Shan Hai Kwan correspondent of the Daily Telegraph, evidence is accumulating that China's neutrality is tottering. The Tartar generals in Kirin and Feng Tien, the correspondent says, are urging the Pekin government to adopt a strong policy against Russian aggression west of the Liao river. It is alleged that Viceroy Yuan Shai Kai is secretly making war preparations and everything, in the opinion of the correspondent, points toward China making a military demonstration against either belligerent fighting west of the Liao river.

A special despatch from Port Arthur says that about 100 Chinese junks were observed on the horizon yesterday between the mouth of the Yalu and the Liao Tung peninsula.

ABSENCE OF NEWS CAUSES WILD RUMORS

ST. PETERSBURG, May 3.—3.40 a. m.—The interest of the public in the news of the fighting on the Yalu is at fever heat, especially since the last official report, which announced the fighting at Chin-Gow, was given out. To the general disappointment, no further telegrams from Gen. Kuropatkin have been published by the war commission, nor will the censor pass press despatches wired from the front.

The absence of news led to the circulation of wild rumors. For instance it was reported that Gen. Sassulitch would be relieved of his command and court-martialed for making a too strenuous stand on the right bank of the Yalu.

As a matter of fact, while the war office is surprised at the resistance made by Gen. Sassulitch, a telegram from Gen. Kuropatkin to the emperor on April 26 announced that Sassulitch, in view of the preparations which the Japanese were making to cross the Yalu, had begun to re-inforce his troops on the Manchurian bank.

Another report says that the war office has been informed that the Russian casualties numbered 2000. Should this be true, it can be accepted as a certainty that the Russian plan of operations never contemplated such a sacrifice.

In view of the cautious advance of the Japanese, it is not expected that they will quickly follow up Sassulitch, but will take a few days in getting the remainder of their troops and supplies across the river and in clearing the country of Russian detachments in order that their communications may not be exposed to attacks.

FIERCE BATTLE IS IMMINENT

PARIS, May 3.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Echo de Paris in a despatch published this morning says that a high officer of the general staff made the following statement to him:

"Gen. Kuropatkin has telegraphed the emperor expressing satisfaction that the Japanese have crossed the Yalu because this lengthens their line of operations, whereas the Russians are approaching their base.

"Gen. Kuropatkin will probably allow Gen. Kuroki's twenty thousand men to advance and attempt the siege of Port Arthur, but Generals Smyrnoff and Stoessel are disposing of the 35,000 men under their command so as not to allow the Japanese to reach that place.

"It is supposed that a battle for the defence of the entrance to the Kwan Tung peninsula is imminent."

GEN. KUROPATKIN ON THE MARCH

ROME, May 3—According to despatches received here Gen. Kuropatkin is on the march from Liaoyang to Feng Wang Cheng with 20,000 troops.

JAPANESE BONDS MADE BIG JUMP

LONDON, May 3—Japanese bonds were marked up 1 1-4 on the stock exchange today on the Japanese successes while Russians were 3-4 down.

RUSSIAN FORCES ORDERED BACK

ST. PETERSBURG, May 3—Noon.—The emperor has received an official despatch from Gen. Kuropatkin, forwarding a despatch from Gen. Sassulitch, commanding the Russian forces which have been engaged with the Japanese advance from the Yalu. It is dated at noon, Sunday, and describes how he ordered the Russian forces at Antung and Kullencheng to fall back along the main road toward Feng Wang Cheng.

This movement was protected from the threatened flank attack by men and guns stationed at Potietinsky (one mile north of Kullencheng) and Chingow villages on the Litzavena river. Here the fighting was protracted and severe. The Russians lost artillery and horses, being obliged to abandon, according to the text, "a few guns." Gen. Sassulitch says:

"Although we were unable to hold our positions here we inflicted heavy losses on the enemy."

RUSSIAN GUNS QUICKLY SILENCED

SEOUL, May 3—In the fighting between the Japanese and Russians on the Yalu all the Russian guns posted to oppose the crossing of the river were put out of action before the actual crossing took place. For two hours from 7 until 9 o'clock continuous fighting went on, the Japanese steadily pressing forward and the Russians falling back before the weight of men and guns opposed to them.

The Japanese infantry with brilliant dash captured the fortified heights northwest of Kullencheng and the pressure was kept up until afternoon, a portion of the Russian forces being driven toward Antung. There was furious fighting the entire distance.

At Antung the Russians found that in addition to the force confronting them they were threatened by strong detachments on either flank. Their retreat then became so hurried that there was no time to replace the artillery horses shot down by the Japanese sharp shooters and 20 guns together with a large quantity of ammunition and rifles and a number of officers and men were captured. The Russians were able to carry off all their wounded.

MILITARY EXPERTS AWAITING NEWS

LONDON, May 3.—The best military experts in London are disposed to await further information before attaching undue importance to the result of the battle on the Yalu river.

Commenting on the Shanghai report that United States Consul Davidson is proceeding to his post at Antung the Globe says:

"The triumph of the open door has begun and the United States have given once more a sign of their clear appreciation of the real issues at stake in the far east."

The Globe then invites the British foreign office to show similar activity.

RUSSIAN TROOPS PANIC STRICKEN

SEOUL, Korea, May 3.—1.30 p.m.—The Russian troops fled panic-stricken when routed at Chhitiencheng pursued by Japanese cavalry and infantry over the hilly country toward Feng Wang Cheng from 1.50 p.m., until 8 o'clock at night. The Russian army engaged was composed of the third division, the twenty-second and twenty-fourth regiments of the sixth division and Gen. Mishtchenok's cavalry brigade supported by 40 field and eight machine guns. The wounded including Gen.-in-Chief Zassulitch and Gen. Kashtalinsky reached Antung whence the Russians were evidently forced to retire after 25 minutes fierce fighting.

ATTACK REPULSED AT PORT ARTHUR

ST. PETERSBURG, May 3—4 p.m.—Later the report that Vice-Admiral Togo had made another attempt to block Port Arthur was confirmed. Vice-Alexieff reported officially that the Japanese sent eight fireships last night to block the entrance of the harbor but they were all sunk by the Russian torpedo boats and the fire from the land batteries, leaving the channel clear. The viceroy also reported that the Russians sank two Japanese torpedo boats.

KUROKI PRAISES RUSSIANS' FIGHT

LONDON, May 3—4.35 p. m.—The Japanese legation today gave out General Kuroki's report, dated the afternoon of May 1, as follows:

"The enemy offered stubborn resistance to our pursuit, adding three hundred to our casualties. The enemy fought bravely to the last. Finally two companies of their artillery, after losing the majority of the men and horses surrendered, raising the white flag. The officers made prisoners assert that Gen. Kashtalinsky, the commanders of the eleventh and twelfth infantry regiments and the commander of the artillery were killed. Many other superior officers were killed or wounded. Many refugees subsequently returned and surrendered. The prisoners include thirty officers and three hundred non-commissioned officers and men."

PORT ARTHUR IS NOT BLOCKED

TIEN TSIN, May 3—An official Russian despatch received here, says that nine Japanese merchant vessels, steaming at the fullest speed towards the entrance of Port Arthur last night, attempted to block the harbor, but were sunk by the fire of the Russian forts. The harbor entrance is clear.

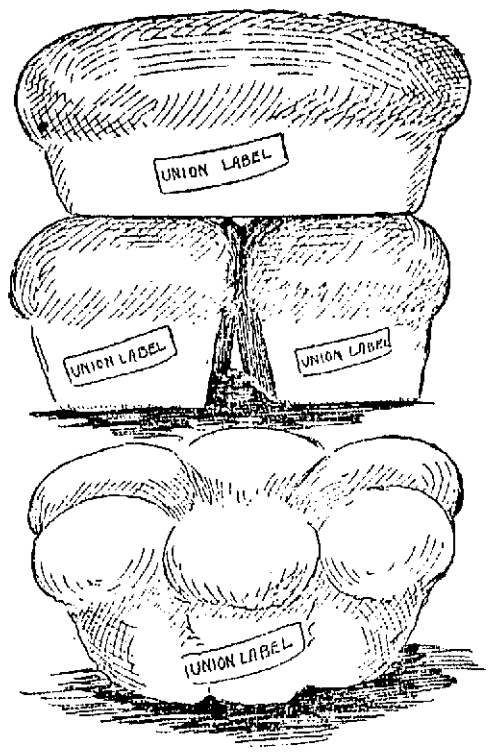
RUSSIAN EMPEROR IS GREATLY GRIEVED

ST. PETERSBURG, May 3.—The emperor is understood to be greatly grieved over the losses sustained on the Yalu. Those who have seen his majesty say that he was dumbfounded when he was informed of the heavy fighting which attended the passage of the river. As is well understood here Gen. Kuropatkin's program did not contemplate such resistance to the Japanese advance. It is said, moreover, that Kuropatkin himself was equally surprised and so chagrined over the miscarriage of his plans that he sent his first telegram to the general staff and not direct to the emperor. The understanding here is that General Zassulitch had specific orders to avoid anything like a general engagement and it is believed that the Russian commander at the front was probably deceived in his estimate in the strength of Gen. Kuroki's artillery, being in entire ignorance that 4.2 guns had been posted and got into a position from which he had the greatest difficulty in extricating his men. The only consolation for the loss of the guns is that being without their breech blocks, they are of no value to the enemy.

SPOT COTTON.

NEW YORK, May 3.—Cotton spot closed quiet, ten points lower. Middling uplands, 13.55; middling gulf, 13.80; sales, 613 bales.

WANT UNION LABEL



THE UNION LABEL ON BREAD AS REQUIRED BY LABOR UNIONS.

Journeymen Bakers Want it on Every Loaf

The chances are that the strike of the journeymen bakers in Boston will not take root in Lowell and this city is not likely to be affected to any great degree. It was stated yesterday that there would be a meeting of the local journeymen bakers last evening but they will not meet until Saturday evening and action if any relative to the strike will then be taken. It is believed that a proposition will be presented to the master bakers and it is further believed that the main condition will be that the union label shall be used. This stipulation is the one most objectionable to the master bakers. Much interest centres in the meeting to be held Saturday evening.

The local union is entirely distinct from the Boston organization. Both organizations, however, are affiliated with the International union. The fact that a good many of the journeymen bakers employed here are members of the Boston union is not looked upon as favorable to the master bakers of Lowell.

TYNER IN TEARS

He Broke Down When His Counsel Spoke

LAWYER REFERRED TO HIS HONORED CAREER

Official Reports Were Offered as Evidence

WASHINGTON, May 3—Both of the defendants were in court today when the impanelling of a jury proceeded for the trial of James N. Tyner and Harrison J. Harrett, on indictments charging conspiracy to defraud the government.

Gen. Tyner was brought into court in an invalid's chair and placed in a large reclining chair. Mrs. Tyner sat by his side. She explained to her husband all matters concerning the selection of the jury which escaped his failing hearing. Less than a half hour was required to complete the jury. Morgan H. Beach, United States district attorney, outlined the government's case in an elaborate review of the indictments and the events leading thereto.

Mr. Worthington, for the defence, referred feelingly to the feeble condition of Gen. Tyner. He declared, however, that his client does not desire consideration based on pity. As he discussed the charges, Mr. Worthington frequently referred to Gen. Tyner's honored career. Tears streamed down the old man's face and he shook with emotion.

At 12.15 p. m., the first witness was summoned to the stand. He was Blaine W. Taylor, chief clerk of the post office department. He produced letter press books and the official reports of the department for the years, 1899, 1900, 1901 and 1902. Counsel for the defence placed a number of extracts from these books into the record.

A recess was taken.

FR. McGOLDRICK BURIED.

ST. JOHN, N. B., May 3.—A large number of citizens attended the funeral services here today over the body of Rev. Fr. Thomas C. McGoldrick, pastor of St. Leo's Roman Catholic church, Dorchester, Boston. A solemn high mass of requiem was celebrated at St. Peter's church. Bishop Casey of the diocese of St. John and thirteen priests including Fathers Geary and Halloran of Boston were present, the latter delivering the eulogy.

The interment was at the old Catholic cemetery. Father McGoldrick was a native of this city and a brother of Deputy Mayor John McGoldrick.

EMPRESS' PORTRAIT

WILL BE EXHIBITED AT ST. LOUIS.

SHANGHAI, May 3.—The portrait of the dowager empress of China, painted by the American, Miss Kate Karl, which left Pekin April 21, was dispatched by the Pacific mail steamer Siberia today. The portrait on arrival at San Francisco will be sent to the St. Louis exposition.

5000 ARE IDLE

The Strike on the Santa Fe System

WASHINGTON, May 3—Approximately 5000 men out on Santa Fe system, in the strike situation today as claimed by President O'Connell of the International association of machinists. This statement is based on reports received this morning.

Of the 5000, about 1200 are machinists and others are boilermakers, blacksmiths, tinsmiths, coppersmiths, helpers and the semi-skilled labor of the allied metal mechanics. The reports say that 21 shops and roundhouses are affected, all shops west of La Junta, Colo., to the Pacific coast, being completely tied up.

EMMONS' SALARY

INCREASED TO $5000—OTHER SALARIES INCREASED.

BOSTON, May 3—A favorable report was received in the senate today on a bill increasing the salaries of the Boston board of police, but eliminating their present revenue from dog license fees. The bill will provide for a salary of $5000 for the chairman and $4000 for the other two members. The present salary is $4000 and $3750.

D. A. R. CONVENTION

ELECTION OF OFFICERS ON PROGRAM TODAY.

BOSTON, May 3.—The election of officers was the first item in the order of business at today's session of the convention of the general society of the Daughters of the Revolution, which is meeting in this city. The committee on ballots announced the list of candidates which it favors for the various offices and it was generally accepted today that the ticket to be reported would be successful. This ticket contained the name of Mrs. F. Adelaide Ingraham of New York for president general, and that of Mrs. Adeline F. Fitz, now regent of the Massachusetts society for the first vice president. The state of Massachusetts has had two candidates for the office of present general, Mrs. Caroline P. Heath and Miss Sarah Hunt, who is now first vice president general. Inasmuch as Mrs. Heath was the committee on ballot's candidate for the office of corresponding secretary general, it was not expected that her friends would nominate her for president general.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS.

BOSTON, May 3.—About 250 delegates were in this city today to attend the eleventh annual convention of the Massachusetts state council of the Knights of Columbus. The convention was called to order at Lawrence encampment hall by Joseph C. Pelletier, state deputy. The forenoon session was devoted to the reading of reports and to the election of officers.

WANTED—Agents to represent us in Lowell and surrounding small towns. Address V. W. S., Sun Office before 12 o'clock Wednesday, May 4.

WANTED—At once girl for general housework in a boarding house. Apply 40 Kirk street.

WAGE INCREASE

Wanted by N.Y. N. H. & H. Employes

NEW HAVEN, Conn., May 3—A conference between representatives of the various craftsmen employed in the car shops of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad and officials of the road was held today at the office of Percy R. Todd, first vice president. Before the conference began it was understood that the chief subject of discussion would be the demand of the men for an increase in wages and it was believed much depended on the result.

The men expressed a determination to present a strong plea for some concessions in the way of a wage increase but declined to venture any prediction as to whether a refusal on the part of the company would be followed by a strike. Outside the members of the committee, however, union men seemed to hold the opinion that a strike is imminent. While no official statement from the company was given out, there was a strong opinion prevalent in the big office building of the road that the company would decline to grant any wage increase whatever. It was said that the departure of President Mellen last Saturday for a week's stay in the west, meant that he considered the road's position had been sufficiently defined to the car workers and machinists' committees in previous conferences and that there would be no deviation from that position and no further concessions granted, the nine hour day of the men having already been allowed. In this view of the situation the outcome of the conference today was awaited with great interest.

SCHOONER LOST

Crew of the Fashoda Was Rescued

NORTH SYDNEY, C. B., May 3.—News was received here today of the loss of the St. Johns, N. F., schooner Fashoda. The Fashoda was bound for Halifax with a cargo of whalebone and had been out since March 17. She encountered a vast field of drift ice and was imprisoned 21 days. Last Saturday when still in the ice off Scatterie she sprang aleak and sank. Capt. Baird and his crew walked over the ice to Scatterie, a distance of 20 miles with much difficulty. Within an hour after the men reached land the ice drifted out to sea. A tug brought the crew from that port to this city today. The Fashoda which was owned in St. Johns, was insured.

FUNERALS

WING—The funeral of the late Margaret Wing took place this morning at 8.30 o'clock from her late home, 56 Perry street, and was largely attended. A high mass of requiem was celebrated at 9 o'clock at St. Peter's church by Rev. Daniel J. Heffernan. The choir was in attendance and sang the Gregorian mass.

The bearers were Bernard and Thos. Noon, Patrick Maguire, Thomas Quinlan. There were numerous floral offerings in evidence. The interment was in the Catholic cemetery, where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Mr. Heffernan. The funeral was under the direction of Undertaker Charles H. Molloy.

MOLLOY—The funeral of Mary E. Molloy was held yesterday afternoon from the home of her parents, 182 Wilder street, and was largely attended. The bearers were Charles Raymond, Thomas Ball, John Lynch, John McCluskey. Burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery, where Rev. Fr. Walsh read the committal services at the grave. Undertaker J. J. O'Connell had charge of the arrangements.

LAPIERRE—The funeral of Mrs. Alberic B. Lapierre took place yesterday from her home in Lilley avenue. The funeral services were held at St. Louis' church, and Rev. Fr. Jacques officiated, assisted by Rev. Frs. Trudel and Lacroix as deacons. The bearers were Messrs. S. Rousseau, W. W. Thibodeau, Adolphe Bouchard, Zoel Houle, Henri Benault and Isaie Daigle. The choir under the direction of Mr. Oller J. David, sang the Gregorian mass.

Among the floral tributes was a wreath of roses which had been sent from St. Jean d' Iberville, Que., by Mr. P. O. Benoit, brother-in-law of the deceased.

Burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery, and Rev. Fr. Lacroix officiated at the grave. Undertaker Archambault had charge.

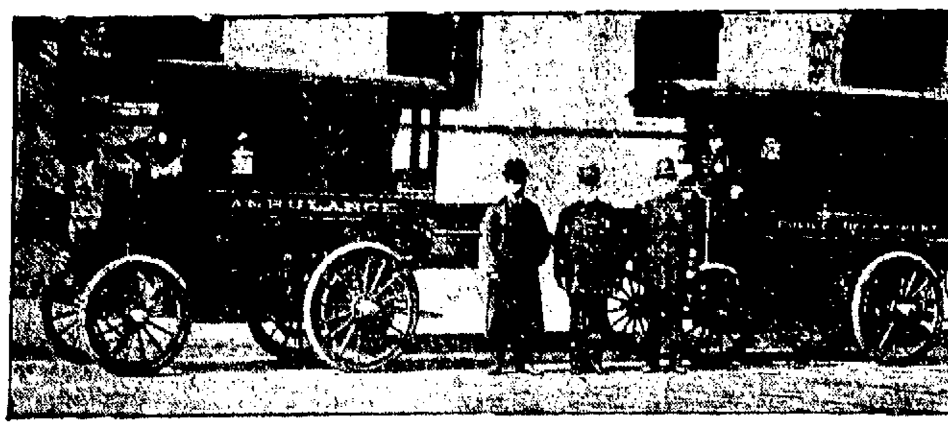
DONOGHUE—The funeral of the late Bridget Donoghue took place this morning at 9.15 o'clock from her late home, 194 Lawrence street and was largely attended by relatives and friends of the deceased. A high mass of requiem was celebrated at ten o'clock at St. Peter's church by Rev. W. George Mullin, assisted by Rev. Hugh McDermod as deacon, Rev. Daniel J. Heffernan as sub-deacon and Rev. Michael Ronan as master of ceremonies.

The choir sang the Gregorian mass. Miss Mollie G. Ivers sang the "Pie Jesu," at the offertory and at the conclusion of the services "One Sweetly Solemn Thought" was sung by Miss Ivers. As the remains were leaving the church the choir sang "Nearer My God to Thee."

There were many beautiful floral offerings in evidence, the following being the most prominent: Spray of roses from the teachers of the Varnum school; wreath, Mr. and Mrs. Manley Varney; spray of calla lilies, Mrs. Albert Johnson; spray of roses, Margaret Jamieson; sheaf of wheat, Mr. and Mrs. Laughton; spray of Easter lilies, Gertrude Edmunds; pinks, Mrs. C. A. Batchelder, palms and wheat from the family.

The bearers were Messrs. Michael O'Brien, William Cowell, Patrick Conroy, Patrick Morris, George Green and John Dwyer. The interment was in the Catholic cemetery, where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Fr. Mullin. The funeral was under the direction of Undertaker Charles H. Molloy.

MOLLOY—The funeral of Mary E. Molloy took place yesterday afternoon at 2 p. m. from the home of her parents, Bernard and Margaret, 182 Wilder street. It was very largely attended by many sorrowing friends. There were many beautiful floral offerings. The bearers were Messrs. Charles Raymond, Thomas Ball, John Lynch, John McCluskey. The interment was in the Catholic cemetery. Rev. Fr. Walsh read the burial services at the grave. Funeral Director John J. O'Connell & Co. had charge of the funeral arrangements.



THE HARTFORD AUTOMOBILE POLICE PATROL AND AMBULANCE.

TRAIN DERAILED

BUT NONE OF THE PASSENGERS WERE INJURED.

SPRINGVALE, Maine, May 3.—The passenger train on the Portland and Rochester division of the Boston and Maine railroad due here from Portland at 1.55 p. m. yesterday, left the track near Shaker Pond, owing to the spreading of the rails.

The train consisting of three passenger coaches, a baggage car and locomotive, was moving slowly at the time and nobody was injured.

The whole train was derailed, but no serious damage was done. At the point where the accident occurred repairs are being made on the roadbed and for that reason the train was moving slowly through the section.

MORE VANDALISM

PERPETRATED AT SEVER HALL AT HARVARD COLLEGE.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., May 3. It was learned last night that an act of vandalism was perpetrated at Harvard college on Friday night when Sever hall, one of the largest buildings in the college yard, was broken into, and locks, doors and glass were broken.

Every gas jet in the building was opened and the illuminating gas escaped all night, completely filling the building.

The vandalism was discovered on Saturday morning when the janitor opened the hall. Inasmuch as a fire was kept burning in the building throughout the night, it is considered remarkable that the building was not wrecked by an explosion of gas. There is no clue to the identity of the vandals.

EXCELLENT BILL AT THE CASTO.

There is a program at the Casto this week, which no one should miss seeing, for it is by far the best bill of the season. Edward Gillette's animal circus heads the program and this act alone is worth the price of admission. The canines are without doubt the most intelligent animals before the public and their act is a revelation as to the possibilities to which the animal can be put. The offering opens with a "sandwich" dog which runs before the curtain bearing cards announcing as the first number "A Coon Flirtation."

When the curtain rises upon the stage is seen a house from which emerges a dog representing the husband, and he departs. Then from the window is seen the wife looking for the arrival of her lover. He comes and goes into the house. Scarcely has he entered the house when the husband returns. He forces an entrance, a pistol shot is heard and from the window emerges the lover in rags. The husband gives chase and is joined by a policeman, and the lover is caught, taken back to the house and hung to a tree. The pantomime is most amusing, but it forms but little of the act. In quick succession follow two canines, one of which plays "Home, Sweet Home" upon chime bells, while another plays a waltz upon the same. Then six dogs play upon the bells without a miss or wait, and without the least instruction from Mr. Gillette. Then there are leaping dogs, dogs who turn somersaults, both forward and backward, climbing dogs who climb high ladders and dive into nets; and hurdle jumpers. The act closes with one of the funniest scenes ever presented here. Half a dozen large rubber balloons are thrown into the air and the dogs upon the stage keep them in the air and out into the audience while the patrons joining in the fun keep them returning to the stage. Nearly every person in the front of the house had a try at the balls yesterday, and the dogs seemed to enjoy it every bit as much as the audience. The act is one which appeals to adults as well as the children and all will be well pleased as this alone is an enjoyable entertainment.

Hoch, Elton and company in the comedy "Mlle. Riccl," created roars of laughter with their sketch, which is a sure cure for the blues.

The Misses Delmore in their refined and artistic instrumental and singing specialty were big favorites. They are handsome girls and are exquisitely gowned. Cole and Warner are premier German comedians. Charles H. Duncan is an eccentric comedian who has a budget of witty stories; Gregor and Russell in their character change act were great favorites for their novel offering; Levine and Alma in a comedy acrobatic act and Madeline Burdette, pleasing vocalist, round out a very entertaining bill.

The Niblo Co.'s

Premium Butterine is the only first quality High Grade Butterine that comes to Lowell. It is way ahead of butter—15c lb.; Globe, 10c to 12½c lb.; Swift's, 10c to 12½c lb. Teas that grows 4 lbs. $1.00. Flynn's Farm Pork, Butter, Eggs, Potatoes.

Flynn's Market, 137 Gorham St.

AN AUTOMOBILE

Wanted by Supt. Moffatt for Patrol Duty

HARTFORD HAS SET THE EXAMPLE

The Automobile is Less Expensive Than Horses

If his appropriation would admit of it Supt. Moffatt would like to do away with horses and substitute automobiles for police department service. Hartford was the first American city to do away with horses, and Supt. Moffatt has talked with Chief of Police Cornelius J. Ryan of that city and Mr. Moffatt is satisfied that the automobile is a big improvement over the horses for police department work.

"It will be sometime," said Mr. Moffatt, "before Lowell will be in a position to take on the automobiles. We have good horses and good wagons. The latter are not fitted for any other kind of work and even if everybody connected with the department favored automobiles it would be impossible for us to think of changing now. Our appropriation would not admit of it.

"Yes, I understand that quite a number of cities are going to adopt the automobile for police and ambulance work. Our department is up to date in almost every respect and I think we can get along with horses for a few years longer."

Chief of Police Cornelius J. Ryan of Hartford, Conn., says that the automobile equipment installed three years ago comprises an electric patrol wagon, and an electric ambulance. He says these vehicles have entirely superseded two horse drawn patrols, a horse ambulance and a "black maria." The patrol covers the entire city, which covers an area of ten square miles and which has 90,000 inhabitants. The old equipment kept five horses in constant service. The chief shows interesting figures indicating that the cost of maintenance for the electric outfit is about 60 per cent. of that of the old horse equipment.

50TH ANNIVERSARY

OF FOUNDING OF BOSTON PUBLIC LIBRARY.

BOSTON, May 3.—The 50th anniversary of the founding of the Boston public library was observed last night by a reception to the public at the library building in Copley square, Mayor Collins and the board of trustees being in the receiving line.

The library was closed for business at 6 o'clock last evening and from 8 until 10 o'clock a solid stream of people passed through the delivery room in which the receiving party stood.

The building was tastefully decorated, bunting and palms being displayed in profusion. Music was furnished by the Boston Symphony orchestra, which occupied the landing at the head of the great marble staircase.

Persons from all walks of life and representing all trades and professions were present at the reception, as well as several well known librarians from other cities.

RECEPTION TENDERED

TO REV. DR. DANIEL HENSHAW.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., May 3.—Rev. Dr. Daniel Henshaw's 50th anniversary of service in the All Saints Episcopal church was brought to a fitting climax in Sprague assembly rooms last night when he was tendered a reception at which he greeted most of the clergy of the diocese and officials prominent in civil life. During the evening he was presented with a beautiful silver loving cup and flowers as tributes from members of his congregation and his friends.

Letters of congratulation on his long service in the church were received from prominent men all over the country.

SCHOONER IN DISTRESS

CAPE HENRY, Va., May 3.—An unknown schooner is anchored four hundred yards off Cape Henry life saving station with distress signals flying. Life savers have gone to her assistance.

LYING IN STATE

MANY VIEW REMAINS OF REV. FR. McGOLDRICK.

ST. JOHN, N. B., May 3.—Throngs of people last night viewed the body of Rev. T. C. McGoldrick, late of St. Leo's church, Dorchester, Boston, as it lay in state in St. Peter's church. Accompanying the body here from Boston were Rev. Michael H. Gary of St. Leo's, and Rev. F. J. Holloran of St. Peter's, that city, and relatives.

The funeral services will be at 10 o'clock today. There will be a requiem mass and Rev. Fr. Holloran will preach.

"SAMPLES" BARRED

WOMEN MUST NOT BE PRESENTED WITH DRINKS.

BOSTON, May 3.—It was said at police headquarters yesterday that the commissioners have made further concessions from their recent ruling that liquor dealers shall not sell to women.

Objection by the dealers to the first order was met by the commissioners with a new ruling which allowed women to purchase goods in bottles from a bar other than that at which men were served with drinks.

The ruling yesterday, it is stated, is that while women may buy bottled liquors at the "dry bar" the dealers must not allow women customers to "sample" the firm's liquor while doing so. It has been the custom for some liquor dealers to give their customers a drink when they purchased whisky by the bottle.

The liquor stores of Nelson Doherty and John McDonald, near the speedway in Brighton, have been allowed to open. On account of the objection of the metropolitan park commissioners, however, the dealers have been notified that they must find new locations within 30 days.

CONTEMPT CHARGE

TWO BOSTON MEN ARE ACCUSED.

BOSTON, May 3.—Patrick J. Gough a tailor at 76 Summer street, and Timothy Hurley, a bartender at 5 West Broadway, were arrested yesterday afternoon on a bench warrant based on information setting out that they had approached Edward F. McClennen, an attorney, with a view to procure money to influence certain jurors in the cases of Edward Atkins and Maud Snow vs the city of Boston.

They were taken before Judge Bishop in the third session of the superior court, where the cases were on trial together, and held in $1000 each till this forenoon. They will appear before the court for contempt.

Hurley and Goff were apprehended by Deputy Sheriffs Kelly and Sisby on a warrant issued by Judge Bishop upon an information filed by Asst. Dist. Atty. Sughrue.

Two of the jurors who sat on the panel in the cases of Atkins and Snow against the city were excused just after the arguments of counsel were finished until this morning.

Just where they figure in the cases is not ascertainable, for the information explicitly states that the alleged attempt of the men arrested did not succeed since Mr. McClennen called the attention of the court to the matter immediately. No complaint was made against the jurors but they were taken from the jury and told to be in court today when the hearing in the cases of Hurley and Gouch will be held.

The cases on trial were petitions for an assessment of damages for the taking of land owned by the petitioners by the city for sewer purposes.

Mr. McClennen appears for the petitioners.

Both men pleaded not guilty and were committed to jail in default of bail.

PRAYER OFFERED

THAT ROOSEVELT MAY BE RE-ELECTED PRESIDENT.

CHICAGO, May 3.—A prayer that President Roosevelt might be returned to the White House caused an unusual demonstration yesterday during the opening exercises of the 22nd quadrennial conference of the African Methodist Episcopal church.

The utterance was the occasion of deafening shouts by the assembled delegates.

Delegates from Africa were the centre of interest at the convention.

A formal program including a march of the bishops and delegates preceded the organization of the conference.

GARNER ESTATE

IS INVOLVED IN LITIGATION AT ALBANY.

ALBANY, N. Y., May 3.—The estate of the late William T. Garner, who with his wife, was drowned in New York harbor in 1876 by the overturning of their yacht, is involved in the litigation which reached the court of appeals upon [illegible] the case of William R. [illegible] under Mr. Garner's will. The [illegible] are Mr. Garner's three daughters, Marcellite, the Marquis De [illegible], Florence Josephine, the wife of Sir William G. Gordon-Cumming and Edith, the Countess De Moltke Huitfeldt, and their minor children.

The estate which then amounted to $5,000,000 has since increased to about $11,000,000. It was left in trust, with provision for annuities for Mrs. Garner and the daughter Florence, then a minor child. Any balance of profits was to accumulate as part of the industrial capital. The point at issue is a technical one whether this provision does not violate the statute of accumulations. About $5,500,000 of undivided profits is at stake.

Fred C. Church had the insurance on the fire in A. L. Brooks' stable last night.

WOOD

WOOD FOR KINDLING. WOOD FOR STEADY FIRE

WOOD FOR FIRE PLACE. HARD WOOD. SOFT WOOD

12 BUSHELS FINE BOBBIN WOOD	$1.00
10 BUSHELS COARSE BOBBIN WOOD	$1.00
10 BUSHELS HARD SAWED AND SPLIT WOOD	$1.00
10 BUSHELS SOFT SAWED AND SPLIT WOOD	$1.00
60 BUSHELS MILL KINDLINGS	$1.00

Order by Telephone or Call at Office.

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15 THORNDIKE STREET. 43 CENTRAL STREET.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—A pocketbook between the Five and Ten Cent store and Bent's baker store. Return to Sun office and receive reward.

LOST—Sunday night, lady's gold watch with fob and gold locket. Reward at Davis' drug store.

FOUND—Dog, name on collar J. Parker. Owner can have by calling at Broughton avenue.

LOST—Boston & Lowell season ticket between High street and Merrimack street depot. Reward at Sun office.

FOUND—A young Scotch collie. Owner can have by calling at 17 Plain street.

LOST—A small sum of money, April 30, between Concord and Andover streets. Finder please leave at Sun office.

LOST—Gold neck chain with locket and red stone between St. Joseph's college and 167 Salem street. Apply J. Smith, 167 Salem street.

LOST—A pocketbook and sum of money and other articles last Wednesday evening at Huntington hall. The finder will be rewarded by returning to Sun office.

FOUND—A sum of money. Inquire at 101 Market street.

LOST—A pocketbook on or near Lilly avenue April 18. Finder please return to Cloff's bakery, Baynton street, and receive reward.

LOST—Sum of money between Prince and Market street. Finder will be rewarded by returning same to N. Panaretos, 248 Market street.

LOST—On Stevens or Princeton streets, plush robe, black on one side, light on inside, with black border. Please return to Auto station, 195 and 199 Moody street. Reward.

JANOWSKI LEADS

IN THE INTERNATIONAL CHESS TOURNAMENT.

CAMBRIDGE SPRINGS, Pa., May 3.—At the conclusion of the fifth round of the international chess masters' tournament, now in progress here, Janowski still had the lead. While he has only four games to his credit his adjourned game with Showalter is sure to yield him half a point, making his score virtually 4 1-2 points, while Lasker, Marshall, Mieses and Teichmann are bunched together with four points.

Pillsbury went down before Mieses yesterday. Lawrence lost his game by exceeding the time limit. The details of the eight games follow:

Mieses beat Pillsbury in a Petroff defence after 35 moves.

Lasker and Marshall drew a Sicilian defence after 45 moves.

Lawrence went down before Fox in a Steinitz defence, because he exceeded his time.

Schlechter beat Napier in a Vienna opening after 21 moves.

Teichmann disposed of Marco in a Petroff defence after 52 moves.

Hodges lost to Delmar in a Ruy Lopez after 28 moves.

Showalter and Janowski adjourned their game, a Ruy Lopez, in a perfectly even end game position.

Barry was beaten by Tchigorin in a Ruy Lopez after 50 moves.

ANNUAL DINNER

OF PRINCETON ALUMNI ASSOCIATION OF NEW ENGLAND.

BOSTON, May 3.—The annual meeting and dinner of the Princeton Alumni association of New England were held at the University club last night, more than a half a hundred graduates being present. Rev. Dr. J. L. Withrow, pastor of the Park street (Congregational) church, this city, the president of the association presided and special guests of the association were Dr. W. C. Jacobus, dean of the Hartford Theological seminary, and a trustee of Princeton university, and Rev. Samuel C. Bushnell, president of the Yale association of New England.

These officers were elected: President, F. C. Coolidge, '84, vice-presidents, the Rev. J. L. Withrow, '60; the Rev. F. H. Rudd, '85; T. C. Wyman, '48, secretary, W. B. Woolbridge, '93; executive committee, Dr. H. M. Cutts, T. C. Chapin, R. R. Miller and Hugh Miller.

DRANK POISON.

WASHINGTON, May 3.—Miss Edith Sutherland, eldest daughter of the late Surgeon General Charles Sutherland, of the army, is dead here from the effects of laudanum poisoning. For several years she suffered from severe spells of despondency. She was 31 years of age.

We sell the Foster Rubber Heel and consider it superior to any heel on the market. The patented "Friction Plug" (prevents slipping) is the reason why. Boulger's Shoe Store, 778 Central street, M. J. Fay, 105 Market street, Geo. H. Mongeau, 422 Merrimack street, Lowell Rubber Co.

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WANTED—To take care of one or two children, good home, no family. Call at Sun office.

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ALL AROUND FEMALE COOK wants situation; experience in hotels and restaurants. Call at rear of 817 Middlesex street.

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TO LET—One furnished front room and one unfurnished room ensuite. Apply at 332 Bridge street.

WOULD LIKE to rent a tenement of three rooms and stable near Shaw's hosiery. Address Tenement, Sun office.

TO LET—A furnished room in good locality, 94 Butterfield street; this is a rare chance for the right parties.

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TO LET—Tenements in Sidney street, $7 and $7.50 per month. Apply to Asa C. Russell, 331 Wilder street.

TO LET—A large furnished room suitable for man and wife or two men. Apply at 14 Fort Hill avenue.

TO LET—Tenement of 6 rooms at 101 Congress street.

FURNISHED ROOMS—With all modern improvements at 26 W. 6th street; homelike.

TO LET—Centralville, 5 rooms, $7.50 per month; Highlands, 3 rooms, $7 per month; Highlands, 4 rooms, $8 per month; Middlesex street, 8 rooms, $7.50 per month; off Chelmsford street, 4 rooms, $8.50 per month; off Chelmsford street, 3 rooms, $8 per month; Philips street, all modern; 9 rooms, $16 per month; nice house with large barn and hennery and ½ acre of land, plenty of fruit, close to electrics, at Navy Yard, in Dracut. Apply to T. H. Elliott, 64 Central street.

TO LET—At 40 Whipple street, a large sunny front room to one or two girls employed by day.

TO LET—At 63 Howard street, furnished rooms within three minutes' walk of Middlesex station.

TO LET—Cottage, suitable for summer camp, desirable location, five minutes' walk to Concord river, three to electrics. Box 163 Billerica Centre.

TO LET—Two furnished rooms at 56 Franklin street.

TO LET—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Address or call at 19 Dutton street, after 6 o'clock.

TO LET—One furnished front and side rooms suitable for small family at 88 John street.

TO LET—A paint shop at 580 Middlesex street, formerly occupied by T. David, painter. Apply to C. J. Connell, 564 Middlesex street.

TO LET—A first class boarding house in good repair, all furnished with curtains, 21 rooms; 512 Central street. Inquire 34 Jackson or 735 Bridge street.

TO LET—Nicely furnished room with all modern conveniences and privileges of a home. 105 Chestnut street.

TO RENT—Nice 4-room tenement, $8, in good neighborhood. Call at 964 Middlesex street. G. P. Walker.

TENEMENTS—Two room and four room tenements. Chestnut square. Inquire 51 Chestnut street.

TO LET—Centralville, 5 rooms, $8.50 per month; Centralville, 3 rooms, $5.50 per month; Concord street, 5 rooms, $8 per month; Highlands, 3 rooms, $7 per month; Highlands, 4 rooms, $7.50 per month; Middlesex street, 5 rooms, $7.50 per month; off Chelmsford street, 4 rooms, $8.50 per month; cottage and barn and 5 acres of land on Chelmsford street, $10; cottage, 6 rooms, on Main street, $8; tenement of 9 rooms, all modern, on Philips street, $16. T. H. Elliott, 64 Central street.

NEWLY FURNISHED ROOM—With board if desired, near city hall. Inquire at Sun office.

TO LET—Very pleasant furnished room, with board if desired, near new city hall. Inquire Sun office.

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SPECIAL NOTICES

THE SUN IN BOSTON—The Sun is on sale every day at both news-stands of the Union Station in Boston. Don't forget this when taking your train for Lowell.

GARDEN SETS—We are giving away for a few days a large three-piece garden set with a pound of tea or two pounds of coffee. Dickson's Tea store, 69 Merrimack street.

WANTED

WANTED—Two ring spinners, experienced on double roving Egyptian. Shaw Stocking Co., yarn dept.

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CASH PAID for second-hand furniture, also sold and exchanged. Bornstein & Quinn, 115-120 Gorham street.

WANTED—Children to board in country home; terms reasonable. Address box 163, Billerica Centre.

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QUINCY HOUSE, 53 Lee street—Boarders wanted: three square 20c meals for 50c a day, 7 days in the week. James McGregor, prop.

FILL YOUR BOOK—Double trading stamps given away with all purchases of 50 cents and over, meats and groceries, Saturday, the 16th, at No. 90 Bridge street.

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WANTED—A position as nurse girl by a New Brunswick girl who has had considerable experience with children. Address Z. A., Sun office.

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STORAGE—First class storage room for furniture; private rooms from $1 to $3 a month, according to size. At 255 Hildreth street. Call there or at 587 Merrimack street.

LAWN MOWERS sharpened and repaired. 75c and $1. James Moulton, 74 Davis street.

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MOTHERS—Rent's Destroyer kills lice on children and all insects; cures dandruff and itching scalp; prevents falling hair; harmless. 25c. Only at Falls & Burkinshaw's, 418 Middlesex street.

MME. WATSON EMERSON—Clairvoyant and psychological readings at 474 Central street; also instruction in elocution and physical culture.

DRESS GOODS REMNANTS, cheap from the Merrimack woolen mills. Corner store, Lakeview avenue and Pleasant street. Navy Yard.

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SAVE MONEY by buying your wall papers and having your paperhanging done at D. Baker & Co.'s, 150 Gorham St. We will paper your room with gilt paper for $2. Good workmanship guaranteed; send postal, will call with samples.

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REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

FOR SALE—In Belvidere, near Merrimack square, two-story house of eight rooms, all modern improvements; price $2800. G. L. Hubbard, 6 Central street.

FARM FOR SALE—Farm of six acres near city limits. Price $5500. Call or address Mrs. J. D. Sullivan, 206 French Street, Suite No. 5.

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EGGS FOR HATCHING from healthy white and buff Wyandottes, barred and white P. Rocks, R. I. Reds and Pekin ducks, $1 per setting. Concord View Poultry yard, No. Billerica. P. O. address box 1064, Lowell.

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WANTED—First-class machinist at W. H. Bagshaw's, 11 Wilson street.

TABLE GIRL—Wanted at 29 Webster street; $4 per week.

WANTED—Clean middle-aged woman to assist housework and children; no washings; going to beach June 1. Apply 2 to 4 p. m. only, 523 Westford street.

WANTED—A man to work on a farm, steady work; no milking. Apply to Michael Whelton, Mammoth road, Dracut.

WANTED—Young men to learn pulling over at Stover & Bean's, Hood building, Thorndike street.

WANTED—A man for general farm work, teaming; can furnish tenement; also a girl for general housework. Inquire of H. W. Foster, near the end of car line, Andover street.

WANTED—Two good carpenters for mill work, at once. Shaw Stocking Co.

WANTED—Middle-aged woman for general housework in small family; references required. Address J., Sun office.

REFINED New York lady would like position as housekeeper. Address M., Sun office.

WANTED—Drug clerk having had four or five years' experience. Address Drugs, Sun office.

STITCHERS WANTED—Experienced stitchers on power machines to work on shirt waists; operators who have had experience on muslin underwear preferred; apply today. Max M. Israel Co., 245 Market street.

SALESMEN—Calling on paint, hardware, drug, lumber, general store trade to sell staple article; liberal commission; excellent side line. Diamond White Lead and Oil Co., 403 22d street, Chicago.

WANTED—A French-American collector for Lowell and vicinity; must be married and between the ages of 25 and 35; only those that have had experience and can furnish best of references and bond need apply. Address L. M. Grant, 23 Pennacook street, Manchester, N. H.

WANTED—Male accountant, experienced in correspondence, for permanent evening employment, residence or office; references. Address "Accountant," Sun office.

WANTED—One of the oldest and strongest financial institutions desires clean, energetic salesmen to handle their investment bonds in Lowell and vicinity; experience not necessary to right party; references required. Address N., Sun office.

LADIES—Dr. LaFranco's Compound gives positive relief; powerful combination; used by 200,000 women; price 25 cents; druggists or by mail. Address LaFranco & Co., Philadelphia, Pa.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Gentlemen's driving team, one clever 6-year-old driving horse, handsome russet leather harness, one rubber tired runabout, open carriage; the above has been driven about our streets for the past year; reason for selling, owner is in a position where he cannot give the same the attention it requires; will sell the above very reasonable. Make inquire of Max Racette, 185 Salem street or 51 Market street.

FOR SALE—Pop corn machine in good order; will sell cheap. Inquire at 175 Chelmsford street.

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FOR SALE—A good square wagon with high sides; has been used in the furniture business. Bornstein & Quinn, 115 Gorham street.

FOR SALE—A large quantity of stone for building purposes. Inquire at 175 Walker street.

FOR SALE—A set of marble platform computing scales in first-class order. 554 Central street, corner Cady street.

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FOR SALE—Furniture in good condition, almost new. Inquire at 11 Phoebe avenue, Pawtucketville. Call after 4.

FOR SALE—Variety and grocery store. Inquire at Sun office.

FOR SALE—Two thousand feet of inch and one-quarter pipe, 200 feet of 1 inch pipe, 200 feet of ¾ inch pipe and 20 high and low pressure boilers in good condition, and three 80-gallon iron kettles, jacket lined and porcelain inside; one 60-gallon copper kettle, as good as new, and one dozen of good valves from 3 to 6 inch and a fine lot of stock. Apply to George O. Bouchester, 231 School street.

FOR SALE OR TO LET—Farm, 36 acres, five miles from Lowell, two from Tyngsboro village, one mile to electrics; good buildings. Address T. G. S., Sun office.

FOR SALE—Boarding and lodging house in centre of city, 20 rooms, steam; house full of boarders and lodgers, hot and cold water, good reason for selling. Apply at this office.

FOR SALE—One horse dump cart. Inquire at 1125 Bridge street.

FOR SALE—Lots of land from 3c to 15c per foot. Inquire 1125 Bridge street.

FOR SALE—Top buggy, cheap; good chamber sets. Call forenoons at 85 First street.

FOR SALE—Stock and fixtures of a well established meat and grocery store in Belvidere, owner has been doing a successful business at this stand for more than eight years; price and terms at Smith & Cavanaugh's, room 34, Donovan building, 267 Central street.

FOR SALE—Naphtha launch; first class condition; will be sold cheap if sold this week; can be seen at Whitworth's boat house, opposite Wigginville station.

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FOR SALE—Wire dovecot or hen pen, size 12 feet high, 18 wide, 25 long; good as new; for half price. 142 Riverside street.

WOOD GIVEN AWAY—2½ miles out. Apply to depot master, Wamesit station. Must be cut and taken away at once.

FOR SALE—To mend your stove bricks use Eagle Stove Clay. Hardware and stove dealers sell it in three size packages.

FOR SALE—A variety store situated in a good business neighborhood, established trade of seven years; an exceptionally fine place for one who dressmakes; poor health of owner reason for selling. For all particulars, terms, etc., inquire of E. R. Donovan, room 1, Swan block, 26 Central street. It may be your opportunity.

RUBBER STAMPS at wholesale prices; 1-in. one line stamps, 10c; 1½ in., 20c; 50c ink pads, 25c; 25c ink pads, 15c; 50c linen markers, 25c; business stamps, 15c per line. J. M. Fellows, 159 Merrimack St.

You can't expect to weave white satin with blackened hands, any more than you can expect good results from papers with a bogus circulation.

BIG CANOE MEET

To be Held at Country Club, Manchester

The annual meet of the American Canoe association has been set for May 28, 29 and 30. At a recent meeting the officers of the association discussed the coming meet and chose committees which will have the matter in charge. Hon. H. P. Dow of Manchester, N. H., is the chairman of the camp site and has selected the location of the camp site on the elevation in the northeast corner of the Country club grounds in Manchester, about a mile above the Amoskeag grounds.

Monday, May 30, will be the day of the races, which will consist of the following: Trophy paddling, single blade, one-half mile; double blade, one man and double blade tandem; single blade in fours; double blade in fours; war canoe for a trophy.

There will be thirty-eight special prizes besides the trophies. The officers in charge of the meet, together with the various committees, are as follows: Commodore, C. F. Walters, Genesee and Rochester Canoe clubs, Rochester, N. Y.; secretary and treasurer, John S. Wright, Irondequoit Canoe club, Rochester, N. Y.; vice commodore, Henri Schneffer, Vesper-Country club and Cygnet Boat club, Manchester, N. H.; rear commodore, H. M. S. Aiken, Quinobequin Canoe club, Boston; purser, Edw. B. Stearns, Cygnet Boat club, Manchester, N. H.

Executive committee—B. F. Jacobs, Jr., Medford Boat club, West Medford, Mass.; D. S. Pratt, Wawbewawa, Wellesley Hills, Mass.; Marcus Butler, Lawrence Canoe club, Lawrence, Mass.; William W. Crosby, Innilou Canoe club, Woburn, Mass.

Board of governors—Paul Butler, of Vesper-Country club, Lowell.

Regatta committee—William W. Crosby, chairman; Innitou Canoe club, Woburn, Mass.; Louis S. Drake, Wawbewawa, Wellesley Hills, Mass.; O. C. Cunningham, Medford Boat club.

Transportation committee—Walter W. Simmons, chairman, Cygnet Boat club, Manchester, N. H.; J. B. Waterbury, Newton Boat club and Tatassit Canoe club, Boston.

Camp site committee—Perry H. Dow, chairman, Cygnet Boat club, Manchester, N. H.; Paul Butler, Vesper Canoe club; A. Elliott Kimberly, Lawrence Canoe club; B. F. Jacobs, Jr., Medford Boat club; H. M. S. Aiken Quinobequin Canoe club, and W. R. Westcott, Cygnet Boat club, Manchester, N. H.

It is expected that this meet will gather some of the most expert canoeists in the country and with good weather prevailing, it will undoubtedly be the event of the season in aquatic sport. This section of the river where this meet will be held is an ideal spot for such a gathering and the result of the meet will be to stimulate interest in this healthy sport.

TO EXTEND RAILROAD.

BINGHAM, Maine, May 2.—Surveys will be made soon for an extension of the Somerset railroad from this town to Birch Point on Moosehead lake opposite Kineo, a distance of 50 miles. Two surveys will be made to determine the cheaper route, but the officials will not state what they will be.

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ELIOT'S ADDRESS

Harvard President on Industrial Conditions

BOSTON, May 3—President Charles W. Eliot of Harvard University, addressed an immense audience in Sanders theatre last evening on "Industrial Conditions of Public Happiness," treating his subject from the standpoint of a believer in the promotion of happiness as the one object to which all human effort should be directed, and criticising in dignified but merciless language the methods of modern trades unionism and other industrial associations whose ends are not in strict accordance with this principle.

Dr. Eliot read his address from manuscript slowly and in clear-cut tones, so that every word was plainly audible in the remotest part of the auditorium. The audience, which filled every seat and occupied every foot of standing room on floor, balcony and gallery, was composed mainly of Harvard students, but there was a generous sprinkling of prominent men and women from outside the university, including many of Boston's labor leaders and representatives of local employers' associations.

It was, withal, a representative and ultra-intelligent gathering, and Dr. Eliot's remarks, which were admittedly academic in character, made a profound impression.

For the most part the address was listened to in absolute silence. Twice the speaker was interrupted for a moment by a small outburst of laughter, but there was no applause during the reading of the paper, the audience remaining apparently fixed, from first to last, in a strained attitude of attention. When Dr. Eliot appeared on the platform, however, he was greeted with a storm of handclapping which lasted until he arose and bowed his acknowledgments and again when he had finished his address his hearers stamped their approval upon his words with prolonged, though not enthusiastic applause.

Dr. Eliot began his address by a statement of what he deems the ultimate object of human society—the promotion of public happiness, which he declared to be liberty, the hope of improving one's lot, stability and good will; and the manner in which employers may aid in or prevent the attainment of these conditions.

He then turned his attention to a discussion of the policies and practices of trade unions in relation to public happiness, and condemned without reserve the methods employed by labor organizations in their strife with organized capital.

The keynote of his address was the misery of the condition of mind which can see no joy in work and looks upon money as the sole incentive to effort.

SLIGHT BLAZE

DID LITTLE DAMAGE AT STATE NORMAL SCHOOL.

A slight fire occurred at the state normal school in Broadway yesterday, some charcoal being ignited in the chemical department. The fire was quickly extinguished, and the only damage done was the burning of a portion of a bench.

ROOF BLAZE.

An alarm from box 5, shortly before seven o'clock last night, was for a slight blaze on the room of A. L. Brooks' stable in Cushing street. The damage was slight.

WOMEN'S CLUB

Held Annual Meeting Yesterday

MRS. IDA BARRET ADAMS ELECTED PRESIDENT

To Succeed Mrs. Elizabeth F. Bennett

At the annual meeting of the Middlesex Women's club held yesterday afternoon, the annual reports of the recording and the corresponding secretaries were read. The retiring president, Mrs. Elizabeth F. Bennett, was given a vote of thanks to which she responded gratiously. Votes of thanks were also extended to the three retiring directors, Mrs. Bertha B. Wier, Miss Minnie B. Chandler, and Miss Abbie Morrison.

Resolutions appreciative of Miss Webster's work in connection with the club were adopted.

The following list of officers was elected by ballot: President, Miss Ida Barrett Adams; vice-presidents, Miss M. Frances Shattuck and Mesdames Frances Huntington and Helen M. Lawton; recording secretary, Mrs. Clara T. Jackson; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Anna E. Fay; treasurer, Mrs. Martha M. Pollard; chairman of finance, Mrs. Isabel S. Clark; directors, Mrs. Harriet Spalding Nichols, Miss Emma L. Bradley and Mrs. Mary Caroline Savage.

Mrs. Henry T. Fletcher escorted the new president to the platform, where words of welcome were spoken and the ceremony of delivering of the house keys was held. Mrs. Adams said a graceful acceptance.

The individual members of the council, the governing body of the club, wished to express their regard for and appreciation of the efficient work of Miss Mary A. Webster and flowers were sent by them to Miss Webster's home.

Votes of thanks were given the press for favors shown.

The next meeting of the club will be on the first Monday in October.

BADLY BURNED

AGED WOBURN WOMAN MAY NOT LIVE.

WOBURN, May 3—Mrs. Aaron P. Dickson, aged 72 years, was burned probably fatally at her home, 74 School street, last evening.

Her screams attracted the attention of neighbors who found Mrs. Dickson lying on the kitchen floor, enveloped in flames. Near her were fragments of a broken lamp. Paper and light articles of furniture were blazing.

The flames were extinguished, but not until Mrs. Dickson's clothing had been consumed and her body badly burned.

Mr. Dickson was later found in an unconscious state on the floor of the dining room. Beside him lay an overturned table. It is said he is subject to fits and that in all probability he was overcome by one and fell from the chair, overturning the lamp and throwing the lamp on the floor.

Mrs. Dickson, it is believed, seized the lamp, with the intention of throwing it into the yard, and while she was proceeding through the kitchen it exploded.

Mr. Dickson has not yet completely recovered from his attack and has no recollection of what happened.

"IN HONOR BOUND"

CLEVER PERFORMANCE BY AMATEURS LAST EVENING.

"In Honor Bound," a clever one-act drama, was presented at the Odd Fellows' fair in Odd Fellows' temple in Middlesex street last night. The cast of characters was as follows: "Sir George Carlyon," Mr. Milton R. Corey; "Philip Graham," Mr. Roland W. Black; "Lady Isabel Carlyon," Miss Alice L. Livingstone, and "Rose Dalrymple," Miss Bertha M. Abbott.

Those who took part are well known in local amateur theatricals, and in producing "In Honor Bound" they have simply added another to their already long list of successes. Mr. Milton Corey in the part of "Sir George" was impressive and convincing. Mr. Roland Black as "Philip," the soul of honor, gave a clever portrayal of a difficult part. Miss Alice Livingstone as "Lady Carlyon," who loved not wisely but too well, had the sympathies of the audience with her from the very start. Miss Bertha Abbott's interpretation of the part of "Rose Dalrymple" partook of all the dainty freshness and youthful charm intended by the author. Special credit is due Mr. Black for his work as "Philip" Mr. Nichols being unable to take the part for which he was cast, Mr. Black assumed the role with only two days' notice. The fair continues this evening.

GIRL ELOPED

SHE RAN AWAY WITH A FRESHMAN.

WATERBURY, Ct., May 3.—It came out last night that Miss Helen M. Fry, daughter of Benjamin H. Fry, a wealthy foundry owner of this city, whose home is in Ansonia, N. Y., eloped from the Taconic school at Lakeville, Ct., last Thursday, with Howard C. Crippen, a freshman at the Hotchkiss school. The pair went to Torrington, where they were married by the Rev. Dr. Acheman, pastor of the Congregational church. Miss Fry was supposed to have gone on a visit to her family in Waterbury, who, in turn, presumed that she was at school. Miss Fry is a very handsome young society girl and is well known in this city.

HARRISON LOST

HEARST FACTION GOT CONTROL OF MACHINE.

CHICAGO, May 3.—Democratic primaries were held yesterday for the selection of delegates to the state convention.

The fight was practically for the control of the local organization of which Mayor Carter H. Harrison has been the leader.

The returns from the city, which were complete shortly after midnight, show that Hearst has secured 219 delegates and Harrison 192. Nineteen delegates are uninstructed, and of these the Harrison faction claims eight.

WISDOM IS WEALTH.

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LOWELL'S GREATEST NEWSPAPER

MANY CAR BREAKS

Bad Boys Broke Into Freight Cars

During the past few weeks several cars have been broken into in the yards of the N. Y., N. H. & H. and the B. & M. railroads in this city. The culprits were driven to cover Sunday night when Inspector Walsh assisted by Officers Phil Murphy and Dan Cogger arrested Anton Silva, 15, who lives in Queen street, a brother of Silva and a lad named McDonald, both the latter under 10 years of age. Antone Silva was arrested and his case will be heard on Friday. The other boys will also be examined on that day.

A car was broken into Sunday and it was about the tenth car that has been broken into within the last few weeks. The one broken into Sunday was loaded with copper rolls consigned to the U. S. Cartridge Co. The rolls were too heavy for the boys to manage. Prior to this, however, the boys were more successful in their game of plunder. In one car they broke open a box of merchandise and found several pairs of shoes. These they took and some of them were found in the bed of the Western avenue canal last Sunday. They also found some canned maple syrup and most of this was also thrown into the canal.

ACCOUNTS COMMITTEE

WILL MEET FRIDAY TO APPROVE MONTHLY BILLS.

The committee on accounts will meet on Friday morning at 10 o'clock at the city auditor's office to approve monthly bills and incidentally take action on the bills held up by the committee a couple of months ago.

APPEAL TAKEN

COURT ORDERED THAT TELEPHONE COMPANY BE OUSTED.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., May 3.—Chancellor Allison handed down a decision yesterday ordering that the Cumberland Telephone and Telegraph company, a Kentucky corporation, be ousted from the state. An appeal to the Tennessee supreme court was taken.

The grounds for the chancellor's decision are alleged conspiracy to stifle competition and alleged discrimination. A receiver was also asked for, but this was refused for "satisfactory reasons."

It was charged among other things that the company, by alleged illegal acts, had forfeited its charter to do business in Tennessee, a contention upheld by the chancellor.

It was also charged that the defendants had broken down independent concerns elsewhere by methods which they had no right to practice.

SUNDAY GOLF BILL

WAS KILLED IN THE SENATE YESTERDAY.

BOSTON, May 3.—The Sunday golf bill, so called, received a quick knockout blow in the senate yesterday, the senators, by a vote of 22 to 4, refusing it a third reading. The bill, which had been framed so as to permit all innocent recreation after 1 p. m. on Sundays, was reported favorably by the committee on probate and chancery.

Senator Sullivan, in favor of the bill, claimed that the state was retrograding to the dark days of narrowness and bigotry. No professional games are allowed under the measure, he said, and no harm could come of it.

Senators Bemis of Norfolk and Osgood of Worcester opposed the bill on the ground that the sentiment of New England was against it. Senator Callender of Boston, favoring, observed that for the first time in six years the question of religion had been waived in the discussion of this bill.

SUCCESSFUL OPERATION.

CHICAGO, May 2.—A despatch from Ann Arbor, Mich, says:

Dr. Chas. B. Nancrede, professor of surgery in the medical department of the University of Michigan, has performed with apparently perfect result, a simple operation for the cure of tri-facial neuralgia. The operation consists in the injection of osmic acid into the affected nerve after its exposure by a trivial incision. This method has been introduced only a short time, and this was its first trial at the university hospital.

By tri-facial is meant the nerve that supplies the upper portion of the face.

WORK RESUMED.

FAIRFIELD, Me., May 2.—The United Box Board and Paper Co. started their mill today with a full crew on full time. Portions of the mill had been closed several days while undergoing repairs. Owing to the condition of the water power, the mill had not been running to its capacity since last fall.

FOR DAY NURSERY

The Annual Fair Will Open Tomorrow

FINE PROGRAM ARRANGED FOR EACH DAY

Interesting List of Tables and Many Attractions

The nineteenth annual May Festival of the Day Nursery association of this city will open in Huntington hall tomorrow, May 4, and continue until the following Saturday evening.

There are twelve tables in all, as follows:

CHILDREN'S TABLE.
MANAGERS' TABLE.
GRAB TABLE.
LEMONADE TABLE.
BAG TABLE.
WOMEN'S TABLE.
FANCY CAKE TABLE.
ARTS AND CRAFTS TABLE.
CANDY TABLE.
APRON TABLE.
FLOWER TABLE.
REFRESHMENT DEPARTMENT.

The attendants at the flower table will be: Mrs. W. E. Morse, chairman, Mrs. J. W. Anderson, Mrs. F. J. Sherwood, Mrs. Walter L. Parker, Mrs. Fred N. Morse, Mrs. Cyrus Barton, Mrs. T. F. Harrington, Mrs. D. J. Burke, Mrs. Alfred H. Ware, Mrs. F. F. Munn, Mrs. C. H. Worcester, Mrs. F. L. Danforth, Mrs. C. E. Worden, Mrs. G. L. Fowler, Mrs. P. H. Donohoe, Mrs. D. N. Patterson, Mrs. E. K. Humphrey, Mrs. G. L. Van Deusen, Mrs. Anne Coffey, Mrs. Peter Conaton, Mrs. Elvin F. Miller, Mrs. Josie P. MacDonald, Mrs. J. T. Roy, Mrs. H. F. Glidden, Mrs. G. T. Halstead, Mrs. C. H. True, Mrs. J. Hicks, Mrs. Benjamin Benoit, Mrs. E. D. Hapgood, Mrs. William Upham, Mrs. E. J. Clark, Mrs. W. I. Chase, Mrs. Kirk H. Bancroft, Mrs. C. D. Starbird, Mrs. J. Gordon Bixby, Mrs. F. E. Dalues, Mrs. P. L. McBride, Mrs. Albert Hallowell, Miss Florence E. Burtt, Mrs. J. L. Powers, Miss Charlotte P. Kilson, Miss Maude Marshall, Miss Florence Cooke, Miss Lillian Treworgy, Miss Florence Flemings, Miss Ethel A. Morse, Miss Nera M. Watson, Miss Mabel Hall, Miss Bertha Frame, Miss Viola Baton, Miss Blanche Dexira, Miss Edith Morse, Miss Maud Pearl, Miss Florence G. Youngs, Miss Bertha Runels, Miss Alice Gray, Miss M. Blanche Grogan, Miss Emily R. Wrigley, Miss Anna Welch, Miss Nellie Leary, Miss Mildred L. McMahon, Miss Jennie C. Alexander, Miss Clarence I. Silk, Miss Blanche Abbott, Miss Elena Abbott, Miss Ruth Favor, Miss Helen Gegenheimer, Miss Evelyn Obor, Miss Julia Richardson, Miss Ethel Stevens, Miss Mary Spaulding, Miss Vera Wood, Miss Bernice M. Walker, Miss Zeba Danforth, Miss Jessie G. Hanson, Miss Lillie Cooke, Miss Jennie L. Hoyt, Miss Lena A. Munroe, Miss Crystal Dean, Miss Catherine Crowley, Miss Florence Knowlton, Miss Charlotte Sherman, Miss Mollie Johnson, Miss Maud Coburn, Miss Emma McLean, Miss Elsie May Grant, Miss Hattie May Lewis, Miss Lillian May Goodwin, Miss Harriet Morse, Miss Mansfield, Miss Wood, Miss Maud Hadley, Percy J. Munn, Charles Barlow, Joseph Maloney.

A floral march will be the feature of the opening night, which will be followed by fancy dances, the program being under the direction of Miss L. Blanche Perrin. A competitive drill will also be held followed by general dancing.

The bazaar will be opened on Thursday evening at five o'clock and later an operetta, "Far Away in Wonderland," will be presented.

There will be a whist tournament Friday afternoon, while Saturday evening will be devoted to the usual High school ball, preceded by a prize drill, open to the first year privates of the High school. There will be dancing every evening.

The board of management is: Col. A. M. Chadwick, chairman; Mrs. Julian Talbot, vice-chairman; Rev. L. C. Manchester, Rev. A. St John Chambre, A. L. Bachelder, Mrs. D. B. Bartlett, Mrs. Benjamin Walker, Mrs. S. T. Brown, Mrs. A. E. Rose, Mrs. J. V. Keyes, Mrs. F. E. Plunkett, Mrs. B. R. Benner, Mrs. J. L. Challoux, Miss N. P. A. Robbins; committee on entertainment and decorations, Mrs. Julian Talbot, Mrs. A. E. Rose, Mrs. B. R. Benner.

COTTON FUTURES.

NEW YORK, May 2.—Cotton futures opened easy. May, 13.40; June offered 13.52; July, 13.60; Aug., 13.32; Sept., 11.96; Oct., 11.36; Nov., ——; Dec., 11.21; Jan., 11.24.

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HARRIS', 10 APPLETON STREET

GRETH'S AIRSHIP

Made a Trial Trip at San Francisco

SAN FRANCISCO, May 3—Dr. Greth started to make a trip of 60 miles to San Jose in his airship yesterday, but after travelling about five miles some slight disarrangement of the machinery was discovered and the aerial voyager landed safely. Dr. Greth was accompanied by Engineer Frederick Belcher. He was satisfied with the results of this experimental flight because he accomplished a good deal more than on former occasions and concluded that he was working in the right direction. He ascended at 8.10 a. m., with the car attached to a rope to prevent doing damage to houses.

When the rope was cast off Dr. Greth made a circular figure about a quarter of a mile in circumference and started for the south at high speed.

Everything went well until the airship arrived off Blankens six-mile house on the San Bruno road. It was then going rapidly toward San Jose, but a small valve suddenly gave way, causing the airship to stop. After the inventor and engineer had tried to repair the break, the fans were started and the ship descended. Witnesses of the descent said that the airship came down gradually and touched the ground gently. Nothing was injured either in the car or about the gas bag. Dr. Greth said that what broke could not be repaired without certain tools, and he deemed it expedient to descend. The fans and the rudder are to be enlarged in order that the ship may be more dirigible.

ANNUAL DINNER

OF THE SOCIETY OF MANILA BAY.

WASHINGTON, May 3.—The resident members of the Society of Manila Bay, an organization of naval officers who participated in the battle of Manila on May 1, 1898, had their annual dinner at the Raleigh hotel last night. Sixteen of the 107 officers who were aboard the United States vessels on that memorable occasion, joined in reminiscent talk. Admiral George Dewey presided. The others present included Admirals Coghlan, Lamberton, Walker, Dyer, Entwistle and Ford, Paymaster Wise, Dr. Marstellar, Lieut. Commander John Gibson, Lieutenants Haywood, Butler, Ridgeley and Baldin, and Representative Loud of Michigan who at the time of the battle was paymaster on the McCulloch. The society decided hereafter to hold its celebration on May 1st, regardless of the day, a postponement from Sunday to yesterday having been made out of deference to the wishes of some of the members who preferred that the dinner should not be held on Sunday. A toast was drunk to Admiral Dewey, and one in silence to the ten officers who participated in the battle, but have died since then.

GOING TO HAVANA.

WASHINGTON, May 3—In accordance with instructions in the navy department Rear Admiral Jewel, commanding the European squadron, will leave Pensacola in a day or two on a visit of courtesy to Havana, Cuba. In addition to his flagship Olympia, he will take the battleship Alabama and the cruiser Cleveland.

ICE PACK BROKEN.

HALIFAX, N. S., May 3.—A special from Sydney, C. B., says the ice pack on the Cape Breton coast was broken by the heavy gale of Sunday, and yesterday nine steamers which were in the ice reached Sydney port of Louisburg.

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SENT TO JAIL

MAN STRUCK GIRL WHO RESENTED INSULT.

BROCKTON, May 3.—In police court yesterday Roy Wellington was charged with drunkenness and assault on Miss Florence A. Merrion. He was fined $10 for drunkenness and sent to the house of correction for two months for assault.

According to the testimony he made an offensive remark to the young woman Saturday evening and when she slapped his face he struck her in the mouth and chest, so that she fell unconscious. James G. Love ran to her assistance and called another man who stopped Wellington.

GOT VERDICT

MISS MAE WOOD WAS AWARDED $75.

NEW YORK, May 3.—Justice Finn yesterday gave a verdict of $75 and costs in favor of Miss Mae C. Wood in her suit against William H. F. Holme for money that she alleged she loaned Mr. Holme while promoting the interests of a water company. Miss Wood is the young woman who was said to have threatened a breach of promise suit against Senator Platt just before he married Mrs. Janeway.

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SWORN CIRCULATION OF THE SUN

The sworn daily average circulation of The Lowell Sun for the year 1903, was **14,590** A gain of 1083 copies per day over the average for the year of 1902.

Sworn to by John H. Harrington, proprietor, Martin H. Reidy, business manager, and Alfred Pilotte, pressman of The Sun, before me, January 1, 1904. JOHN J. HOGAN, Notary Public.

15,016 The sworn daily average circulation for four months of 1904 was: **15,016**

☞This is a larger circulation than the combined circulation of all the other daily papers in Lowell.

☞An advertisement placed in The Sun is of more value to the advertiser than if it were inserted in all the other newspapers in Lowell, and the cost of inserting it in The Sun is about ONE THIRD the price charged by the other papers.

Mayor Howe cannot much longer withhold his choice of police commissioner; but common report has made his choice known long ago. Is common report to be relied upon?

HUMBUGGING THE PUBLIC.

The following from Practical Politics calls atention to what everybody must have noticed who has read Hearst's Boston paper:

Congressman Hearst's alleged newspaper, in view of the democratic convention results, stands in the unenviable position of a discredited publication in this community. Its sources of information were fully as adequate for the obtaining of the actual facts relative to the delegate campaign as those of other dailies, in Boston and elsewhere throughout the state. Instead of being told the facts, which the Boston American, if it is alive to its business, presumably possessed in common with the other papers, its readers were given a mass of mis-statements and distortions daily, what purported to be news reports being editorial perversions, and the true situation could only be learned by its readers from the other newspapers of the state. For such an organ the name "American" is a misnomer. Hearst's paper, in its attitude toward the news features of his abortive campaign in Massachusetts, has been decidedly un-American in the eyes of all newspaper men and those citizens who hope that the word stands for square dealing with the public and with one's fellowmen.

It is true that in regard to the convention and to the number of Hearst delegates throughout the state, the paper referred to published the most palpable falsehoods. Practical Politics, however, seems to assume that this was an exceptional case of falsification by Hearst's paper; but on the contrary it was merely a local application of that paper's regular and habitual mode of falsifying in order to sustain its own contentions or to make the news of the day more sensational than it really is. It shows to what extent the public can be humbugged when people are found to accept the statements of such a discredited organ.

A NO-SCHOOL SIGNAL FOR PRIMARY SCHOOLS ONLY.

Experience during the past winter has demonstrated the necessity of having a separate no-school signal for the primary and a general signal for the grammar and High schools.

It is not to be expected that the children of the primary schools can venture as much in wet or stormy weather as can the children of the grammar and High schools.

Very often has the no-school signal been sounded when the pupils of the grammar and High schools could have attended without risk or injury.

Hence, therefore, it would be well to have a special no-school signal for the primary schools only and another to be general. This might prevent the complaints so often heard when all the schools are closed on account of what some may consider an insufficient reason. Such a signal might be confusing at first, but the people would soon become accustomed to it and distinguish as they can the different hours of the day when struck from the town clocks.

LESSONS OF THE NO-LICENSE YEAR.

The no-license year of 1903-4 is now a thing of the past, but it has left behind its various lessons.

One thing demonstrated during the year was, that whenever the police show a determination to stop liquor selling they can do so except away from public gaze, under cover and in a manner which must prove quite unprofitable. Another thing made quite clear is that it is possible in a few years to break the vast bulk of the people who patronize the open saloons of the habit of drinking and cause them to drink, if at all, with moderation in their own homes.

The quantity of liquor sold and consumed in a no-license year is trifling when compared with the quantity sold in a license year. Furthermore, it has been proved that whenever the liquor dealers use their position for political purposes, or when the license commission offends the sensibilities of the community, the people will vote no-license. Whenever a candidate in whom the people are interested is defeated through the efforts of the liquor element, the people will endeavor to get revenge by voting no-license.

The best lesson which the liquor dealers can draw from a year of no-license is to attend strictly to their own business, to let politics alone, to obey the law to the letter, and to avoid, as far as possible, the abuses that have been attached to the business in the past.

HOW MUCH IS THERE IN IT FOR ME?

Of late years since men try their coffers to fill
At cost of the general good,
There is an expression of self-seeking skill
Which formerly few understood:
Honest measures and men
Were alone thought of then,
But, on all hands what now do we see?
In the scramble for pelf
Every man asks himself
How much is there in it for me?

You'll hear loud declaiming 'gainst Trusts and Combines
By candidates seeking for aid,
They'll tell those who toil in the shops and the mines
That in ruins all trusts should be laid
But, when once on the Hill,
And some trust wants a bill,
How their minds change no mortal can see,
But they'll say to the Trust,
"Come right down with the dust,"
Or, how much is there in it for me?

The above verses are from a little poem by Edward Fitzwilliam, formerly of Lowell, but now of Boston. They refer to the change which candidates undergo after election and how little they think of their pledges to the people.

Before election the candidates are ready to promise everything; after election they are ready to deny everything they promised. They forget their promises and their pledges and in passing upon important measures, they are influenced mainly by a single consideration—How much is there in it for me?"

If the whole question of political corruption in city, state and nation were sifted down to its prime elements, this query, "How much is there in it for me," would be found to be at the bottom. It is at the bottom of the free gift of great franchises, at the bottom of the chartering of great combines to control transportation facilities; at the bottom of the special legislation by which one class is robbed for the benefit of another class.

The whole problem then of reform in municipal state and national government, comes down to a question of securing honest and representative men to represent the people in the various legislative and executive bodies. We say "executive" also, for experience has shown that it is of no use to have good laws unless they are strictly enforced.

At the present time we see the anti-trust laws practically a dead letter because the trusts have dictated the appointments of the various executive official from the attorney general of the United States down to the lowest official who has to do with the existence or the business of the trusts. This will continue just as long as the people elect men to office who sell out their interests on every opportunity.

SEEN AND HEARD

May is one of the four months this year which has five Sundays.

Many June brides are preparing their trousseaus.

The opening of the liquor saloons in this city will cause a slight drop in the receipts of the Lawrence saloons.

Suspicious fires and false alarms are becoming altogether too numerous in Lowell. A little detective work and a few arrests might put a stop to them.

The first victim of the bartender was reported yesterday with the opening of the liquor saloons—an unfortunate had his head split open with a whiskey bottle.

Many young men employed in this city will have to attend the "funeral" of their aunt, uncle, sister or grandfather from now on, as the New England baseball season opens in this city tomorrow.

The old farmer's almanac predicted the rains of the past week and it predicts that cool weather, light rains will prevail until May 9, when we may "expect a change to warmer." We shall see.

A palatial residence in this city which is dark during about eleven months of the year, has been brilliantly illuminated for the past several nights. The owner resides in New York, but is in Lowell now so as to be taxed as a resident of this city.

There are approximately 23,600 members in the Royal Arcanum in Massachusetts, and the three leading councils n the race for first place are Equity of Springfield, with 711 members, Lowell 8, 709 and Industry 698. The councils in Lowell made 24 1-2 per cent. of the net gain of the state during the last year.

Several Sunday recreation bills have been killed in the legislature, but there is one under consideration which is very favorably regarded by legislators. It permits harmless sport on private premises, provided no admission fee is charged and the participants receive no compensation. A local attorney says this bill looks harmless enough, but as a matter of fact it opens the door pretty wide. Under it baseball can be played, as in New York, where no admission is charged, but every spectator must buy a score card for 50 cents each.

HE LEFT $40,000

CABMAN DROVE GOVERNORS BUTLER AND RUSSELL.

BOSTON, May 3.—Mrs. Nella M. Leah, one of the nieces of the late Albert B. Kent, gave her testimony yesterday in the probate court before Judge McKim in the Kent will case.

Mr. Kent was 81 years of age at his death. In the olden time as a cabman, he always drove General Benjamin F. Butler. Another regular patron of his was the late Governor Russell. He was one of the best known cabmen of the West End and was highly respected at the Revere House.

The estate proved to value about $40,000.

Mr. Kent made a will in 1890, another in 1892, and still another in 1899. He was a bachelor and had a great love for his niece.

Mrs. Leah stated she had been employed by Jordan, Marsh & Co., and afterward by Madame Celeste. Subsequently she went to live with her uncle.

The hearing was adjourned to this morning.

ANNUAL OUTING

MERRIMACK VALLEY BOARD OF TRADE ARRANGES FOR IT.

Representatives of the Merrimack Valley board of trade met Saturday afternoon to make preliminary arrangements for the annual outing of the boards.

H. F. Hildreth, president of the Lawrence board, was elected chairman, and Secretary Benjamin Hodgman of the Lowell board, was elected secretary.

The presidents and secretaries of the six boards were made an executive committee and Secretary Charles H. Littlefield of the Lawrence board was made secretary of the committee.

It was voted to hold an outing at Canoble Lake on some day during the latter part of June.

ADAMS

More Comfort

Many think the new Morris rocker is more comfortable than the chair. The rocker is pushing the chair hard for the place of the favorite. Oak and mahogany finished frames solidly built. Reversible cushions in the seat and back covered in velour or French tapestry. These comfort rockers are $10.00, $11.00 and $12.00.

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If you have a tenement idle that rents for $15 a month, you are losing 50 cents a day every day it is vacant. A little ad. in The Sun "To Let" column will rent your tenement in a very few days. Others have tried it with good results; why don't you try it?

BOWLING GAMES

Welch Wonders Defeated in a Fast Game

One of the hottest games in the series between the Welch Wonders and Connemaras was rolled off on the private alleys at Les Miserables in East Merrimack street last night and it was anyone's game right up to the last box, but the Connemaras showed their superiority and won out by a margin of 10 pins.

The first string found the Connemaras five pins behind the Wonders and in the second string the Wonders rolled up 22 more than their opponents, and with 27 pins to the good the Wonders thought they had the game clinched, but they did not figure on the team that Sergt. Connors was going to turn on in the last string. During the first and second strings the sergeant rolled 135 and 127 and his opponents thought that he was all in, but the honor of his team was at stake and getting sick of being guyed by everyone in Merrimack square over the numerous defeats of his team, he shook the kinks out of his legs and rolled the balls down the alleys with such speed and accuracy that it is understood that more than one alley boy and several spectators had narrow escapes from being killed, but Sergt. Connors got there just the same and when the smoke of the battle had cleared away it was found that he had scored 201 in the last string and thereby won the game for his team.

Despite the fact that Sergt. Connors made a record-breaking run in the last string, his three string total did not reach that made by Peters, the latter having three pins over his captain. McKay and Cawley were tie at the end of the contest and Bart. Ryan was able to roll but 427 as his slippers were out of condition.

For the vanquished team Tom Atkinson was high man with Mike Burns second, but Martin Maher was away off color, the star bowler of the team being able to put up a three string total of but 408 pins. Deputy Welch, the captain of the Wonders, did not do much better than Maher, his total being 416. Dave Donaldson was middle man with 447.

The score:

CONNEMARAS.

	1	2	3	Total
Connors	135	127	201	463
McKay	152	126	139	417
Ryan	147	137	153	437
Cawley	119	153	141	413
Peters	142	159	144	466
Totals	719	703	778	2200

WONDERS.

	1	2	3	Total
Welch	149	134	133	416
Atkinson	177	157	134	468
Burns	160	137	154	451
Donaldson	127	165	155	447
Maher	111	152	145	408
Totals	724	725	741	2130

THE MOHAWKS WON.

The Waterloos met their Waterloo last night when they met the Mohawks, as the tribe with the Indian title won the contest by 24 pins. Marsden of the winning team with a single string total of 103 was high man, his three string total being 294. Several singles of 100 were made during the game.

The score:

MOHAWKS.

	1	2	3	Total
Simpson	75	92	98	265
McGrall	80	100	79	259
Marsden	92	101	99	294
Howarth	78	89	85	243
Campbell	84	86	96	266
Totals	409	463	454	1326

WATERLOOS.

	1	2	3	Total
Mansur	90	81	100	271
Fowler	82	87	96	265
Snowman	81	76	84	241
Singleton	82	94	100	276
Dumont	86	74	89	249
Totals	421	412	469	1302

CHRISTIAN HILL WON.

The Christian Hill bowlers defeated the bowlers of the Boott on the Vesper alleys last night by a score of 1231 to 1202. Fred Grover was in the lineup of the winning team and was high man for his team, but Kirby of the losing team was the particular shining light, his three string total of 272 being the best made during the game; his single string of 93 was also the highest made during the game.

The score:

CHRISTIAN HILL.

	1	2	3	Total
Peabody	77	56	80	223
Lamson	87	81	87	255
Grover	88	90	90	268
Bean	82	83	76	241
Wight	87	77	80	244
Totals	421	397	413	1231

BOOTT.

	1	2	3	Total
Wetherbee	75	75	80	230
McOsker	68	76	77	221
Kirby	90	89	93	272
Peterson	68	72	78	218
King	91	88	82	261
Totals	392	400	410	1202

MINOR STRIKE

PAINTERS AND PLUMBERS WANT MORE PAY.

WOONSOCKET, R. I., May 2.—Two strikes of minor importance began in this city today, a total of about 60 men going out. Painters to the number of 30 have left their work in the shops of E. N. Slocum, P. J. Fleurant and H. Calder Pierce, who had refused to grant their demands for more wages. The other boss painters acquiesced in the men's demands. The painters ask for $2.50 for inside work and $2.25 for outside work per day. About thirty plumbers, steam and gas fitters with a number of helpers have left their work, their request for an eight-hour day and a limit wage of $3 a day having been refused.

THE ORPHEUS RAISED.

HALIFAX, N. S., May 3.—A special from North Sydney says that the Gloucester fishing schooner Orpheus, which was sunk in the harbor a week ago by collision with a large ice cake, was successfully raised yesterday and towed to Ingrahams dock.

29TH ANNIVERSARY

OF THE ELEVATION OF ARCHBISHOP WILLIAMS.

Yesterday marked the 29th anniversary of the elevation of Archbishop Williams to the archbishopric. The venerable prelate spent the day quietly at his residence at the Cathedral of the Holy Cross. He celebrated a low mass during the early portion of the morning, as is his daily custom, and later received a few callers. The archbishop continues to enjoy good health, despite his 83 years, and finds it necessary to depart but very little from the routine of duties which he has followed for many years.

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MR. CASEY HURT

THROWN FROM HORSE ON APPLETON STREET.

Thomas Casey, the well-known expressman, had a narrow escape from being seriously injured last evening about five o'clock, while riding his horse through Gorham street. Mr. Casey was riding horseback and had just turned from Appleton street into Gorham when the horse slipped on the car track, throwing Mr. Casey to the pavements.

Mr. Casey struck on his head and was carried at once into Moor's drug store ,directly near the scene of the accident. There restoratives were applied, bringing Mr. Casey from the trance he had suddenly gone into. A slight cut over the right eye was the only visible sign of injury. The horse, also scratched, ran up Appleton street and was finally caught.

MATRIMONIAL

Mr. George Gravell and Miss Amanda Lacerte were united in marriage yesterday morning in St. Joseph's rectory. Rev. Fr. Diss, O. M. I., officiated at the ceremony. The bride wore white muslin trimmed with lace and carried roses. She was attended by her brother, Mr. H. A. Lacerte, and the groom's witness was Mr. Vital Coutu. After the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Philomene Lacerte, 74 Gershom avenue and a wedding breakfast was served. The young couple will make a wedding tour of East Tiepperell and Nashua and on their return will reside at 74 Gershom avenue.

DESAULNIERS—BERNARD.

At St. Joseph's church at 6.30 yesterday morning Rev. Fr. Viand, O. M. I., officiated at the marriage of Mr. Philias Desaulniers and Miss Ernistine Bernard.

The bride wore a becoming gown of white silk, with veil, and carried bride roses. Her father, Mr. Joseph Bernard, of Yamachiche, Que., was her witness, while Mr. Pierre Bernard was the groom's attendant.

In the evening the young couple held a reception at the home of Mr. Pierre Bernard, 18 Phoebe avenue, a very large party of friends being present to offer congratulations. Mr. and Mrs. Desaulniers will reside in Ford street.

PERRIN—AYOTTE.

The marriage of Mr. Henri Perrin and Miss Donida Ayotte, took place yesterday morning at 7 o'clock in St. Joseph's church, Rev. Fr. Graton, O. M. I., performing the ceremony. The bride was attended by her father, Joseph Ayotte, who gave her away. The groom's witness was Mr. Lucien Pichu.

The bride wore a beautiful white silk gown, and wore a veil. A musical program was given during the ceremony by the choir of the Congregation de Notre Dame de Lourdes, to which the bride belonged.

The wedding dinner, followed by a reception to a very large number of friends, took place at the residence of the bride's father in Ward street. Mr. and Mrs. Perrin have received a number of useful and costly gifts. They will reside in Ward street.

ST. ONGE—LAROCHE.

Mr. Lucien St. Onge and Miss Exelia Laroche were united in marriage at St. Joseph's church yesterday by Rev. Fr. Lamothe, O. M. I., chaplain of the Congregation de Notre Dame de Lourdes, of which the bride is a member and the ceremony was followed by a nuptial mass.

The bride wore a pearl gray cashmere gown, trimmed with white chiffon, and wore a corsage bouquet of white carnations. She was attended by Mr. Theophile Lucier, and the groom's witness was Mr. Alfred St. Onge.

After the ceremony breakfast was served at the home of Mr. Lucier, 98 Hall street. Mr. and Mrs. St. Onge who have received many beautiful wedding gifts, will reside at 88 Hall street.

ADDITIONAL PRIZES DISTRIBUTED.

The prizes offered by the candy table at the recent carnival in aid of St. John's hospital were disposed of last night at the home of Mrs. C. W. Brown, 185 Andover street. The prize winners were as follows: Prayer book, Mr. Thomas Ramsay, Hotel Belvidere; embroidered table cover, Rev. E. A. Dorgan, O. M. I.; bust, Mr. W. Baker, Appleton street; case of soap, Mr. John Simpson, 113 Fulton street; bust of Shakespeare, Mr. Will Whittet, Wentworth avenue; sofa pillow, Mrs. William Murphy, Westford street; embroidered centre piece, Mrs. Hickey, Pleasant street; lunch cloth, Mt. Mellick embroidery, Baby Leslie Donnelly, 71 Dover street; painted cider jug, Mr. Andrew H. Gray, Tolman avenue.

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AT 75c DOZEN—1 lot 75 dozen full-bleached, all linen Napkins, sold elsewhere at $1.25 dozen.

AT 25c EACH—1 lot 15 dozen hemstitched, extra fine satin finish Damask Tray Cloths, never sold less than 50c each.

AT 59c YARD—Vendetta Suitings, 50 inches wide, all wool mixtures of blue, grey, red, green and black and white, regular value 75c yard.

AT $1.00 YARD—250 yards Panne Velvets, assorted colors, always sold at $1.50 yard.

AT 75c YARD—300 yards Silk Velvets, assorted colors, regular value $1.25 yard.

AT 19c YARD—Fancy Mercerized Lining for skirts, former prices 39c, 49c, 69c and 75c yard.

AT 12½c YARD—Sea Island Percaline, all colors, regular value 19c yard.

AT 12½c YARD—Watered Moire in all colors, regular value 25c yard.

AT 37½c EACH—1 case of Men' Ecru Jersey Ribbed Shirts, long sleeves, drawers to match with double-seat, regular value 50c each.

AT 16c YARD—Fancy Ginghams in stripes, all colors, regular value 25c yard.

AT 10c AND 12½c YARD—Fancy Ginghams in stripes and plaids, regular 15c and 19c quality.

AT 19c YARD—Fancy Ginghams in stripes, handsome colorings, regular value 33c yard.

AT 59c YARD—Storm Serges, warranted all wool, regular value 75c yard.

AT 50c YARD—English Mohair, 50 inches wide, regular value 75c yard.

AT 39c YD.—All-Wool Voiles; colors, castor, nile, blue, grey, cadet, brown and champagne, regular value 50c yard.

AT 39c YARD—All-Wool Nun's Veiling in colors, champagne, blue, grey, etc., regular value 50c yard.

AT 25c EACH—1 case Men's Ecru Jersey Ribbed Shirts, long sleeves, drawers to match, double seat, would be good value at 37½c each.

BLUE LETTER DAY WITH DOUBLE STAMPS WEDNESDAY

AN EASY VICTORY

Lowell Played all Around New Bedford

BUSHEY PITCHED AN EXCELLENT GAME

And He Received Gilt Edged Support From Team

NEW BEDFORD, May 3—The Lowell team played rings around the home team yesterday and won with ease. The weather was cold ,a sharp breeze blowing across the diamond, but Bushey can pitch in a snow storm and yesterday he was encouraged by the excellent support given him by the other members of his team.

The infield played a brilliant game, and the outfield was equally fine.

On the other hand, while New Bedford's infield was sharp enough, the outfield was decidedly weak. Doe tried two young pitchers and the Lowells ate them up, while the good ones hugged the bench. Doe was much disappointed to find that he couldn't beat them without his stars.

Hickey was the star of the game, both in the field and at the bat. Grandpa Lake put up a magnificent game and his two bagger in the first, practically won the game. The score:

LOWELL.

	ab.	r.	bh.	po.	a.	e.
Connors 3b	4	2	1	2	2	0
Bigbie lf	4	2	2	3	1	0
Grant cf	5	0	1	2	0	0
Hickey 2b	4	1	3	3	5	0
Lake 1b	5	0	3	5	1	0
McLaughlin ss	5	0	1	2	2	0
Dwyer rf	5	0	0	3	0	0
McGovern c	4	2	1	7	1	0
Bushey p	2	1	2	0	0	0
Totals	33	8	14	27	12	0

NEW BEDFORD.

	ab.	r.	bh.	po.	a.	e.
Guiheen cf	4	0	0	3	0	1
Murphy ss	4	1	2	2	4	0
Valdois 2b	5	0	0	5	1	0
Mullaney rf, lf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Conroy 1b	4	0	2	13	1	0
Wilson c	3	0	0	1	4	0
Dunbar lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Burrill rf	2	0	2	2	0	0
Kehoe 3b	3	0	0	1	5	0
Cloolm p	2	0	1	0	2	0
Connolly p	1	0	1	0	2	0
*Friend	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	32	1	8	27	19	1

*Friend batted for Cloolm in sixth.

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Lowell	2	0	0	1	1	0	1	3	0—8
New Bedford	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0—1

Earned runs, Lowell 4, New Bedford 1. Three-base hit, McGovern. Two-base hits, Lake, Hickey, Conroy. Sacrifice hit, Dunbar. Stolen bases, Murphy, Bigbie. First base on balls, by Cloolm 4, by Connolly 2, by Bushey 6. Struck out, by Cloolm 1, by Bushey 6. Double plays, Kehoe, Valdois and Conroy; Conroy and Burrill. Time, 2. Umpire, McCloud. Attendance, 500.

MANCHESTER 6, LAWRENCE 2.

LAWRENCE, May 3—The misjudgment of a long fly by Hart in centre field gave Manchester yesterday's game by the score of 6 to 2. Both teams were a little lax in fielding, but the battery work was good. Coveny excelled in batting. The score:

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Manchester	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	4	0—6
Lawrence	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0—2

Earned runs, Manchester 3, Lawrence 1. Two-base hits, Dillon, McMahan. Stolen bases, Graham, Cope. Double plays, Derby and Birmingham; Cote, Knau and Havesty; Sylvester, Knau and Havesty. First base on balls, off Derby 1. Hit by pitched ball, Sylvester. Struck out, by Lieth 9, by Derby 6. Passed balls, Coveny 1. Time, 1.51. Umpire, Rudderham. Attendance, 600.

CONCORD 10, HAVERHILL 7.

HAVERHILL, May 3—The pitching of Cross enabled Concord to defeat Haverhill yesterday. For six innings Cross held the home team down to two hits and no runs. In the last three innings, however, Haverhill succeeded in batting him more freely. Score:

Concord	0	0	1	1	4	0	1	3	*	—10
Haverhill	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	3	2	—7

Earned runs—Concord 1, Haverhill 2. Two-base hits—Sheets, Newton, Wallace, Hamilton, Connaughton. Three-base hits—Pulsifer, Sheets. Home run—Kane. Stolen bases—Lovell, Dorgan 3, Elliott 2, Noblitt, Newton, Hamilton 2. Double plays—Maroney, Connaughton and Callahan; Elliott and Lovell. Struck out—By Cross 8, by McGinnity 1, by Maroney 1. Passed balls—Wiley. Wild pitches—Cross, Maroney. Time—2.00. Umpire—McDermott. Attendance—600.

NASHUA 8, FALL RIVER 6.

FALL RIVER, May 3—Nashua defeated Fall River yesterday through poor fielding of the local team. In the seventh inning Pastor collided with Riccius, the Fall River catcher, and the latter's right forearm was fractured. Fields was substituted. Three-base hits by Jott and Pastor, and double plays by Moorehead and Weddidge were the features. The score:

Nashua	1	1	1	0	0	0	5	0	*	—8
Fall River	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	2	—6

Earned runs—Nashua 1, Fall River 1. Two base hits—Carroll and Soffel. Three-base hits—Jott and Pastor. Stolen bases—Pastor, Coughlin 2. Double plays—Moorehead, Hanks and Weddidge; Weddidge and Moorehead. Hit by pitched ball—Wilson, Warren, Riccius. First base on balls—Off Swope 4, off Courneen 2. Struck out—By Swope 6, Courneen 2. Passed ball—Riccius. Time—2.00. Umpire—Kearns. Attendance—600.

NEW ENGLAND LEAGUE.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Nashua	2	0	1.000
Manchester	2	0	1.000
Fall River	1	1	.500
Lawrence	1	1	.500
Lowell	1	1	.500
Concord	1	1	.500
New Bedford	0	2	.000
Haverhill	0	2	.000

DIAMOND NOTES.

Billy Merritt caught an errorless game yesterday, accepting every chance. He played the five cent ball game at his establishment in East Merrimack street and his uniform consisted of an apron and white coat. The local papers have been saying considerable of Merritt's future on the diamond and are guessing as to what the outcome will be. Merritt claims that Manager Lake last year volunteered to give the team a certain amount of money if they won the pennant. The pennant was won but Merritt claims the premium was not forthcoming and that he will not play with the team until it is.

GAMES TODAY.

(New England League.)

Lowell at New Bedford.
Manchester at Lawrence.
Concord at Haverhill.
Nashua at Fall River.

CITY CHAMPIONSHIP

GAME BEING ARRANGED BETWEEN THE CRESCENTS AND EMMETS.

The Crescents and the Emmets are arranging for a baseball game to be played on the Fair Grounds the morning of Memorial day for a purse of money and the city championship. If the game eventuates, Joe Cronin will pitch for the Emmets and Kearns for the Crescents.

AMATEUR BASE BALL

The Sagamores defeated the Ayer City, Jrs., Saturday afternoon by a score of 8 to 4. The feature of the game was the catching by Reynolds and the pitching by Gill. We would like to play any team in the city under 16 years of age. The lineup: J. Reynolds c, T. Gill and H. Bickford p and 2b, E. Wright 1b, J. Hill ss, J. Coughlin 3b, J. Beauparlent m, W. McNulty lf, R. Brown rf. We will play the Ayer City Jrs. for $1.00 per side next Saturday. Send all challenges through this paper.

Well! Well! What do you think of this? The Ayer Citys played the Sagamore Pets and beat them 19 to 4. We wanted to play for a dollar a side but they said, "Oh, we don't get any spending money." We would like to play any team in the city under the age of 15. Our lineup is, respectively, E. O'Brien c, J. O'Brien p, J. Burke 1b, J. McNulty 2b, Leo Lohre 3b, Pete Gill lf, T. Alexander ss, J. Jocko cf, W. Jocko rf. Send all challenges to E. O'Brien, 242 West London street, city.

As both of the above teams claim to have won they should get together and play it off without loss of time.

The Pawtucket Blues beat the Crimsons Saturday by a score of 12 to 10. The lineup is as follows: G. Davidsen c, G. Tanner p, C. LaDuke 1b, J. Cummings 2b, F. Holte 3b, S. Parodis ss, C. Wilson lf, S. Davis cf, S. Pluff rf. Girarde Lew umpired. The Crimsons might win a few games if they played fair, but not by cheating.

The Clintons of Pawtucketville defeated the strong Centralville Blues by a score of 7 to 6.

The Young Eagles would like to play any team in the city, including J. Carney's Bassets. If the Bassets claim the championship of the city under 12 let them play us for fun or money. So Carney, if your team wants a game for Saturday afternoon or morning speak up, please. The lineup is: Jas. Clarke c, Jack O'Dea p and 3b, Jack Lawrenson 1b, Jack Hudson 2b, Jack Tucker 3b, Jack Dealaney lf, J. Merrill rf, E. Brennan ss and p, C. McArde cf, R. Susa sub, J. Hudson mascot. Send challenges to the Sun.

The St. Peter allar boys have organized for the season of 1904, and would like to play any team in the city under 15 years of age, and the lineup is as follows: F. Morriss c, F. Brady p and captain, G. Harrington 1b, J. Fahey ss, J. Donohoe 2b, C. Kirby 3b, L. Fox rf, J. OConnell cf, J. Gilbride rf; subs, J. Quinn, A. Martin, J. Frawley, J. Bergen and G. Allen. Send all challenges to George Kirby, 391 Gorham street.

The Short Street Jrs. have organized for the season of 1904 and are ready to play any team under 14 years of age. The Short Street Jrs. have a great pitcher in Marty Flanagan who pitched against a picked up team last Saturday, and struck out eight men. The Short Street Jrs. would like to play the Manhattans, for they are sure they can beat them. Now, B. H. Dyer of the Manhattans, speak up or shut up.

The Manchesters have organized for the year of 1904 and would like to challenge any team in the city under 12 years of age. (the Blossoms preferred). The line-up is as follows: J. Ward c, J. McFadden p, S. Briley 1b, J. Baxter 2b, J. Pepard ss, G. Humphries 3b, E. Stott lf, B. Humphries cf, T. Doherty rf, F. Hendrick sub. Send all challenges to J. Ward, 93 Blossom street, or through The Sun.

CRICKET NOTES

The formal opening of the Bunting cricket grounds will take place Saturday when the Lawrence Athletic team will meet the Buntings.

The Bunting Reserve team will play the Maynards at Maynard Saturday next.

Daniel Clegg, of the Bunting Cricket club, has been elected corresponding secretary, to take the place recently vacated by Harry Richardson.

The Mohairs made a good start Saturday. There is little doubt but that the good work will be kept up.

PEOPLE'S CLUB

ANNUAL EXHIBITION OF NEEDLE-WORK.

The annual exhibition of needlework is being held by the Women's branch of the People's club at their new rooms in the Institute building in Middle street. The work is greatly improved over the work of previous years and many high compliments have been paid the work by visitors.

The fancy work is the feature of the exhibition, many beautiful pieces of embroidery being on exhibition. The plain sewing consists of underwear, aprons, shirt waists, kimonas and stocks. The millinery department has some fine exhibits also, while one of the most practical exhibitions is that of dressmaking, where shirt waist suits, shirt waists and jackets are shown.

INSTANTLY KILLED

MAN WAS STRUCK BY FALLING BRICKS.

CAPAC, Mich., May 3—Everett Warren was instantly killed and Eric McLaughlin, William Locke and Joseph Lefevre were injured by falling bricks at the burning of the Hotel Rotunda here Sunday night. The loss was $20,000.

MILITARY TOURNAMENT.

NEW YORK, May 3.—With Mayor McClellan as the chief reviewing officer, the eighth annual military tournament began last night in Madison Square garden. The evolutions were greeted with applause.

SOME SIGHTS WE'D LIKE TO SEE IN THE OLD SPINDLE CITY

JOHN L'S BENEFIT

Phila. Defeated Boston Americans Yesterday

BOSTON, May 3—The home team was yesterday shut out by Philadelphia through masterly pitching by Waddell, who allowed but one hit. The visitors bunched hits, including Seybold's triple in the middle innings. Twenty per cent. of the gate receipts was given to the John L. Sullivan benefit fund.

The score:

PHILADELPHIA.

	ab.	r.	bh.	po.	a.	e.
Hartzel lf	4	1	1	1	0	0
Pickering cf	4	1	1	1	0	0
Davis 1b	4	0	1	13	0	0
L. Cross 3b	3	0	0	0	2	0
Seybold rf	4	1	1	2	0	0
Murphy 2b	4	0	1	0	4	0
M. Cross ss	3	0	0	2	3	0
Schreck c	3	0	1	5	0	0
Waddell p	3	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	32	3	6	27	10	0

BOSTON.

	ab.	r.	bh.	po.	a.	e.
Dougherty lf	3	0	1	3	1	0
Collins 3b	3	0	0	3	4	1
Stahl cf	3	0	0	2	0	0
Freeman rf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Parent ss	3	0	0	1	3	1
Lachance 1b	3	0	0	10	2	0
Ferris 2b	3	0	0	3	1	0
Criger c	3	0	0	4	0	0
Tannehill p	2	0	0	1	4	0
*Parrell	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	27	0	1	27	15	2

*Batted for Tannehill in ninth.

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Philadelphia	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0—3
Boston	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—0

Earned runs, Philadelphia 3. Three-base hit, Seybold. Double play, Dougherty, Tannehill and Collins. First base on balls, off Waddell 2. Hit by pitched ball, Freeman. Struck out, by Waddell 7, by Tannehill 3. Time, 1.26. Umpire, Dwyer. Attendance, 6430.

AMERICAN LEAGUE RESULTS.

At New York—New York 5, Washington 0. Attendance, 1500.

At Detroit—Detroit 6, Cleveland 2. Attendance, 300.

At St. Louis—Chicago 9, St. Louis 6.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Boston	10	3	.769
Philadelphia	7	4	.636
Chicago	9	6	.600
Detroit	7	6	.538
New York	6	5	.545
St. Louis	6	7	.462
Cleveland	4	7	.363
Washington	0	11	.000

EASTERN LEAGUE RESULTS.

At Newark—Newark 2, Toronto 1.

At Jersey City—Buffalo 8, Jersey City 0.

At Providence—Rochester 2, Providence 1.

At Baltimore—Baltimore 4, Montreal 1.

CONNECTICUT LEAGUE RESULTS.

At New London—New London 7, New Haven 0.

At Holyoke—Holyoke 12, Hartford 0.

At Springfield—Springfield 6, Meriden 4.

At Bridgeport—Worcester 5, Bridgeport 1.

OTHER GAMES.

At Amherst—Amherst 5, Colby 4.

MASSACHUSETTS PAID.

WASHINGTON, May 3—The treasury department yesterday sent to the governor of the state of Massachusetts, a warrant for $1,011,740, being the amount due the state as a refund for expenses incurred in raising volunteers for the union army during the Civil war.

SHUT THEM OUT

Boston Nats. Failed to Score Yesteaday

BOSTON, May 3—New York won from Boston 2 to 0 yesterday afternoon by clean fielding. Hayner muffed an easy liner from the first man at bat. Neither team was able to hit the ball hard or frequently.

The score:

NEW YORK.

	ab.	r.	bh.	po.	a.	e.
Browne rf	4	1	1	0	0	0
Devlin 3b	3	0	1	1	1	0
McGann 1b	3	0	1	13	1	0
Merten lf	4	0	0	2	0	0
McCormick cf	3	0	2	3	0	0
Dahlen ss	4	0	0	0	4	0
Gilbert 2b	2	1	0	2	3	0
Warner c	4	0	0	1	1	0
Taylor p	3	0	0	2	6	0
Totals	30	2	5	27	16	0

BOSTON.

	ab.	r.	bh.	po.	a.	e.
Geier cf	4	0	1	2	0	0
Tenney 1b	3	0	0	11	1	0
Cannell rf	4	0	0	0	0	0
Cooley lf	4	0	0	1	0	0
Abbitichio ss	3	0	0	2	6	0
Delehanty 3b	2	0	1	1	2	0
Raymer 2b	3	0	2	0	2	3
Moran c	3	0	0	3	3	0
Pittenger p	2	0	0	1	5	1
Wilhelm p	0	0	0	0	1	0
*Carney	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	29	0	4	27	20	3

*Batted for Pittenger in the eighth.

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
New York	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—2
Boston	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—0

Double plays, Taylor, Gilbert and McGann. First base on balls, off Pittenger 2, off Taylor 2, off Wilhelm 2. Struck out, by Pittenger 2, by Taylor 2. Time, 1.40. Umpires, Zimmer and Moran. Attendance, 737.

NATIONAL LEAGUE RESULTS.

At Philadelphia—Brooklyn 3, Philadelphia 0. Attendance, 2985.

At Chicago—Chicago 8, Pittsburg 3. Attendance, 2400.

At Cincinnati—Cincinnati 8, St. Louis 5. Attendance, 2500.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
New York	10	2	.833
Brooklyn	7	6	.583
Chicago	7	6	.583
Cincinnati	9	7	.563
St. Louis	6	7	.462
Boston	6	8	.375
Pittsburg	5	8	.385
Philadelphia	2	9	.183

GATES LOCKED

MACHINISTS COULD NOT ENTER SHOPS.

TOPEKA, Kans., May 2.—When the 2000 Santa Fe machinists and workmen gathered at the big railway shops in this city today to go to work they found the gates locked. The entire plot of ground of 25 acres is surrounded with a high oak board fence with few gates. These gates were locked and guarded by armed guards.

The Santa Fe officials asserted that they were anticipating a strike that would have come today. They said information had come to them that the men had held secret meetings Saturday night and Sunday and decided upon a strike at 9 o'clock Monday morning. There was no disturbance today, the majority of the men returning quietly to their homes.

CHELMSFORD

The May Party under the direction of the finance committee of the Unitarian church at the Centre last evening was a grand success, the fine weather bringing out a great gathering. The seats were arranged in a semi-circle around the hall, leaving floor space in the center for the fancy dances, which were given under the direction of Miss Ockington.

The first number on the program was a cantata, "The Crowning of the May Queen," and it was finely rendered by the young people. Then followed the May Pole dance by 16 lads and lassies in gala attire. Then came the spirited Irish jig by Miss Ockington's class. At the close of the entertainment ice cream was served under the direction of Mrs. A. E. Beede, Mrs. J. E. Warren and Mrs. Ell. Sweetser. A gaily decorated candy booth containing all home-made candies was liberally patronized. The candy booth was in charge of Misses Helen Lord, Elsie Perham, Rachel Marshall and Louise Adams.

Miss E. L. Parkhurst was the pianist for the evening, and her thorough conception of the needs of the various numbers added much to their enjoyment. The cantata was prepared under the direction of Mrs. C. E. Bartlett, Miss M. E. Warren and Mrs. Annasa Howard.

Following are the names of those taking part in the fancy dances:

May Pole dance—Ruberta Parkhurst, Hazel Knowlton, Ruth Emerson, Marjorie Armstrong, Elizabeth Warren, Katherine Greene, Miriam Warren, Irene French, Ervin Hunt, Arthur Redman, Mark Reede, Charles Douglass, Alfred Douglass, Fred Parkhurst, Chas. Parkhurst, Hosmer Sweetser.

Irish jig—Ruth Emerson, Alfred Douglass, Elizabeth Warren, Katherine Greene, Charles Douglass, Ruberta Parkhurst, Miriam Warren, Earl Day, Marjorie Armstrong.

The hall was cleared at the close of the entertainment and general dancing enjoyed until 11.30.

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"Yes, that fat little boy by the window is Charlie, and his skin is as white as a snow flake, thanks to the Cuticura Remedies. I think everybody should know about the Soap and Ointment, and if it is going to help other mothers with sick babies, go ahead and publish what I have told you."

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STRIKE OF '94

Ex-President Cleveland Describes Great Labor Trouble

PRINCETON, N. J., May 3.—Before one of the largest audiences ever assembled in Alexander hall, ex-President Grover Cleveland delivered the Stafford Little lecture last night on "The Government in the Chicago Strike of 1894."

Mr. Cleveland was greeted with enthusiastic applause when Pres. Woodrow Wilson introduced him, saying:

"Mr. Cleveland stands today as the most prominent man in the United States and needs no introduction, especially to a Princeton audience."

The balcony was packed with undergraduates and townspeople, while the seats on the lower floor were reserved for professors and their wives together with prominent visitors.

Every word of the lecture was followed with the closest attention and appreciation.

He opened his address by briefly referring to some of the serious problems which faced his administration during the year 1894; then, taking up his subject in detail, he spoke in part as follows:

"In the last days of June, 1894, a very determined and ugly labor disturbance broke out in the city of Chicago. Almost in a night it grew to full proportions of malevolence and danger. Rioting and violence were its early accompaniments and it spread so swiftly that within a few days it had reached nearly the entire western and southwestern sections of the country. Railroad transportation was especially involved in its attacks. The carriage of U. S .mails was interrupted, interstate commerce was obstructed and railroad property was riotously destroyed.

"Att'y Gen. Olney, in his official report, correctly defined the purpose and design of this outbreak in these words: 'To compel a settlement of disputes between the Pullman company and a portion of its employes, nothing else was meditated or aimed at than a complete stoppage of all the railroad transportation of the country, state and interstate, and freight as well as passenger.' "

GREAT MILEAGE AFFECTED.

The speaker explained that the widespread trouble had its inception in a strike by the employes of the Pullman palace car company, which began on May 11, 1894, and was provoked by a reduction of wages. The cause of the Pullman strikers was taken up by the American railway union. Members of the A. R. U. refused to handle pullman cars or trains bearing them. At that time three-fourths of the railroad mileage of the country was under contract to use pullman cars.

"The same railroad companies which had contracted to use these pullman cars upon their lines," continued Mr. Cleveland, "had contracts with the U. S. government for the carriage of mails, and were, of course, also largely engaged in interstate commerce. It need hardly be said that of necessity the trains on which the mails were carried, and which served the purpose of interstate commerce were, as a general rule, those to which the pullman cars were also attached.

"The officers of the railway union established headquarters in the city of Chicago, and from there gave directions for the maintenance and management of the strike. Reports soon came from various quarters that the mails were seized and destroyed and other violent disorders committed. Thereupon the attorney-general immediately sent a dispatch to the U. S. district attorneys, instructing them to see that the passage of regular trains carrying U. S. mails in the usual and ordinary way, be not obstructed.

ATTY. GEN. OLNEY'S SUGGESTION.

"Wherever there was interference with the mails or restraint of commerce the U. S. courts were appealed to for relief. In Chicago the U. S. marshal was authorized to employ special deputies and special counsel for the government. In a letter to this special counsel, the attorney general, in making suggestions concerning legal proceedings, wrote:

"'It has seemed to me that if the rights of the United States were vigorously asserted in Chicago, the origin and center of the demonstration, the result would be to make it a failure everywhere else, and to prevent its spread over the entire country,' and in that connection, he indicated that it might be advisable, instead of relying entirely upon warrants, issued upon criminal statutes, against persons actually guilty of the offence of obstructing U .S. mails, that the courts should be asked to grant injunctions which would restrain and prevent any attempt to commit such offence."

Mr. Cleveland then described the repeated but ineffectual attempts by U. S. court injunctions and the use of deputy marshals to prevent riots and the obstruction of commerce and mails.

"The desperate and far-reaching character of this disturbance was not in the least underestimated by executive officials at Washington," Mr. Cleveland said, "and it must be borne in mind that, while menacing conditions were moving swiftly and accumulating at Chicago, like conditions, inspired and supported from that central point, existed in many other places within the area of the strike's contagion.

DESIRED PEACE, BUT READY FOR TROUBLE.

"Of course it was hoped by those charged with the responsibility of dealing with the situation, that a direct assertion of authority by the marshal or a resort to the restraining power of the courts would prove sufficient for the emergency. Notwithstanding, however, an anxious desire to avoid measures more radical, the fact had not been overlooked that a contingency might occur which would compel a resort to military force.

"The key to dispatches to the federal officers at Chicago from the attorney general may be found in the self-defensive authority of our nation to directly overcome resistance to the exercise of its legitimate and constitutional functions as related to the transportation of mails, the operation of interstate commerce, and the preservation of the property, of the United States, and in certain constitutional and statutory provisions.

"It was the intention of the attorney general to suggest in these dispatches that immediate and authoritative information should be given to the Washington authorities if a time should arrive when, under the sanction of general executive authority, or the constitutional provisions, a military force would be necessary at the scene of disturbance.

FEDERAL TROOPS SENT TO SCENE.

"The strike situation grew rapidly worse. Utter defiance of court orders, lawlessness and rioting culminated in the formal request of the U. S. marshal, supported by the judges and attorneys of the federal court, for federal troops. This request was at once met by orders to the war deparement, and soldiers from Fort Sheridan were soon on the scene. The dispatch containing the direction of this procedure concluded as follows:

"'The mere preservation of peace and good order in the city is of course the province of the city and state authorities.'

"An executive proclamation issued by the president, calling upon all to refrain from unlawful obstruction, combinations and assemblages, together with the wise use of the federal troops and the enforcement of the processes of the federal courts, resulting in the arrest of the officers of the A. R. U., stopped the rioting, the strike ended, and commerce and the mails proceeded unobstructed."

In concluding his explanation of the events leading up to the accomplishment of all the purposes of the government's interference, Mr. Cleveland said:

"I hope I have been thus far successful in my effort to satisfactorily exhibit the extensive reach and perilous tendency of the convulsion under consideration, the careful promptness which characterized the interference of the government, the constant desire of the national administration to avoid extreme measures, the careful limitations of its interference to purposes which clearly seemed to be within its constitutional competency and duty, and the gratifying and important results of its conservative but stern activity."

DISCUSSION WITH ALTGELD.

Then followed a most interesting part of the address, the reading of the correspondence which passed between President Cleveland and Gov. John P. Altgeld of Illinois. Of him, Mr. Cleveland said:

"This official not only refused to regard the riotous disturbances within the borders of his state as a sufficient cause for an application to the federal government for its protection against domestic violence under the mandate of the constitution, but actually protested against the presence of federal troops sent into the state upon the general government's initiative and for the purpose of defending itself in the clearly defined exercise of its legitimate functions."

The discussion following was illuminating of the whole question of state's rights and federal supremacy, concluding with this dispatch from Mr. Cleveland:

"While I am still persuaded that I have neither transcended my authority nor duty in the emergency that confronts us, it seems to me that in this hour of danger and public distress, discussion may well give way to active efforts on the part of all in authority to restore obedience to law and to protect life and property."

"This," said Mr. Cleveland, "closed a discussion which in its not result demonstrated how far one's disposition and inclination will lead him astray in the field of argument."

"ESTABLISHED FOR ALL TIME."

In closing, Mr. Cleveland concluded with a brief reference to the legal proceedings which grew out of this disturbance, "and finally led to the adjudication by the highest court in our land, establishing in an absolutely authoritative manner, and for all time, the power of the national government to protect itself in the exercise of its functions."

In sustaining the action of the U. S. circuit court, which ordered the imprisonment of Debbs and his associate officers of the A. R. U. for disobeying its injunctions, Mr. Cleveland said:

"The supreme court of the United States has written the concluding words of this history, and in every page provoking sober reflection. Nevertheless, even those most nearly related by executive responsibility to the troublous days whose story is told, may at this time congratulate themselves that they have had to do with marking out the way and clearing the path, now unchangeably established, that shall hereafter guide our nation safely and surely in the exercise of all the functions belonging to it which represent the people's trust."

MIRACULOUS ESCAPE

OF STUDENT WHO FELL FROM A FLAG-POLE.

NEW LONDON, N. H., May 3—Walter F. Goodwin, a student at Colby academy, fell 45 feet from a flag-pole on the academy campus about 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon, sustaining injuries about the chest and shoulders. On St. Patrick's day the students had a celebration, and in some manner the flag-pole rope was taken from the pole. Several attempts have been made to climb the pole to replace the rope. Yesterday afternoon Goodwin offered to go up. After a hard climb he reached the top and replaced the rope.

As he was descending, the climber on his right foot failed to work and he gradually slipped down the pole until about 15 feet from the ground. He lost his hold and fell backward. A ladder was leaning on the pole. As Goodwin fell he hit the top of it, breaking his fall. He struck on the ground on his shoulders and head.

Dr. Anna Littlefield of this place and Dr. Ferrald of Sutton were summoned. They report that no bones are broken and they see no reason why Goodwin should not make a quick recovery.

GOLD COIN.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., May 3.—The steamer China which has arrived from the Orient brought a shipment of Japanese gold yen worth $2,334,300 in United States gold coin.

HEAD BLOWN OFF

Mystery Surrounds Murder of Young Girl

MAHANOY CITY, Pa., May 3.—A mystery surrounds the murder of Lillian Humes, 12 years old, whose lifeless body has been found lying face downward on the kitchen floor at the home of her brother, Harry Humes, engineer for the Mahanoy City water company. The top of her head was blown off and nearby lay a shotgun belonging to a member of the household with both barrels empty.

The girl came to this city last week from Philadelphia with her mother intending to spend the summer. She was alone in the house, Humes being busy at the pumping station, Mrs. Humes working in her garden some distance from the house and the children at school. When Mrs. Humes returned she found Lillian dead on the kitchen floor. Back of the chair where she had been sitting were two holes torn by the shot. The discharged gun lay on the floor. The nearest house is two miles from the Humes and no one heard the fatal shots, not even Mrs. Humes.

LIFE CRUSHED OUT

Driver of Auto Landed in a Ditch

CHICAGO, Ill., May 3—While his fiancee and another young woman vainly tried to lift the heavy vehicle H. S. Ringi of Chicago Heights, has been crushed to death in the mire of a ditch beneath his overturned automobile.

The accident occurred in the North Chicago road nearly a mile from the village of Chicago Heights.

The occupants of the automobile were Miss Florence Bornholdt, his fiancee, and Miss Elizabeth Canedy. On approaching the village Ringi attempted to turn out for a farmer's wagon. The heavy machine swerved into a ditch at the roadside and the occupants were thrown from their seats.

Miss Bornholdt was severely injured by striking the further bank of the ditch and was made unconscious. Miss Canedy was thrown into the water and escaped uninjured. When Miss Bornholdt regained consciousness the young women began a search for their companion and saw him struggling in the water and mire beneath the overturned machine.

They attempted to move the automobile, but their efforts were unavailing and Mr. Ringi's head sank beneath the water.

The farmer drove on, regardless of the accident and the young women had to walk nearly a mile for assistance.

Mr. Ringi was superintendent of the American Foundry and Machine Co., Chicago Heights.

ANOTHER STRIKE

In the Arlington Mills of Lawrence

LAWRENCE, May 3.—The latest strike at the Arlington mills, which started so suddenly and with only a few operatives, has developed into alarming proportions and now affects nearly, if not all, the combing room employes who were involved in the strike which reached a settlement a few weeks ago.

Some of the strikers said that Monday morning Overseer Robert Foster, who has charge of the combing department, notified the employes that he desired to see them one at a time in his office and told them to bring along their street clothes. The employes of the room procured their clothes and lined up outside of the office. The first man in was told that there was a rush of work on hand and that overtime and one-half instead of time and 9 o'clock in the evening, was necessary to fill the orders which had been held back since the recent strike. The man was given his choice either to work or put on his street clothes and "Jack strap."

The operative said "yes" so that he could go back and tell his co-workers. They refused to work unless given time and one-half instead of time and one-quarter, which the company offered. The employes left the mill and a strike was on.

ONCE WEALTHY

ROBERT JOHNSON DIED IN AN ASYLUM.

NEW YORK, May 3—Robert A. Johnson was one of the merchant princes of this city 20 years ago, with a fortune estimated at $5,000,000, and a palatial home on the Hudson, near Mt. St. Vincent.

Two days ago he was taken a public charge, to the Manhattan insane asylum, on Wards island, where he died Sunday. Last night his body lay in the morgue among the pauper dead.

The old merchant will not sleep in Potters field. Today he will be buried in a huge granite mausoleum, on a hill top on Calvary cemetery. The mausoleum was reared 30 years ago by Robert Johnson and his three brothers, when A. T. Stewart was their only peer in the retail dry goods trade in this country. T. J .McManus, a nephew, who was in ignorance of his uncle's plight, until too late to go to his assistance, will provide for the interment.

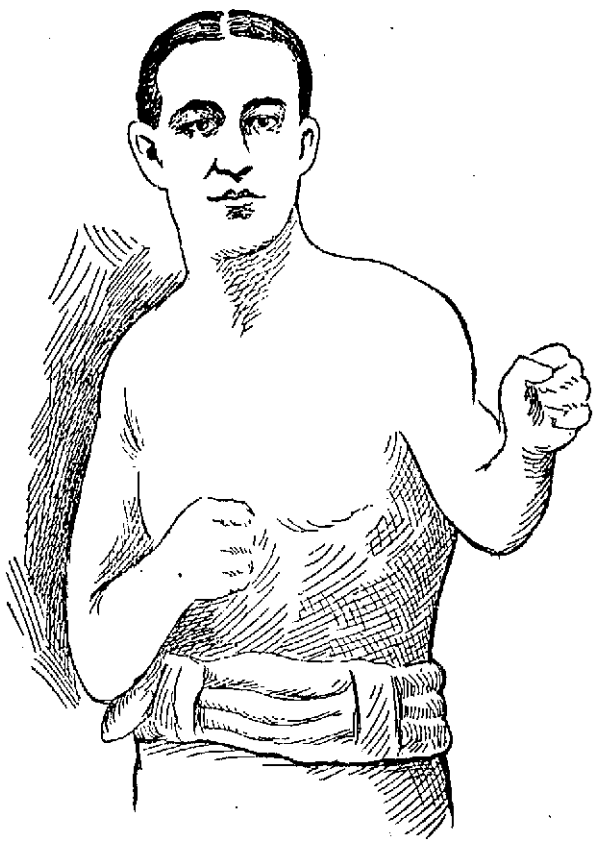
Robert Johnson, the last of the brothers, who composed the old Broadway firm of J. & C. Johnson, has been living apart from the world for years. His home has been a ramshackle stable on the estate near Mt. St. Vincent, once his own.

Almost penniless, he cooked his own meals, did his own washing and darned the tatters that formed his clothing. Little gifts from neighbors kept him alive.

Mr. Randolph, a Wall street banker, whose country home adjoins the Johnson property, found the old man burning with fever and raving mad and had him sent to the asylum.

What became of his millions was Robert Johnson's secret. He carried it with him to the grave.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.



JACK ROOT.

GARDNER BEATEN

Jack Root Was Given The Decision

CHICAGO, May 3.—Jack Root of Chicago was given the decision over George Gardner of Lowell, Mass., at the end of six rounds last night. Gardner did not fight in good form and was severely beaten.

Within a few seconds of the end of the second round Root knocked Gardner to his knees with a right swing to the jaw. Root had the better of the third and fourth rounds.

In the fifth round Root put a right hook to the jaw that sent Gardner down for a count of six. He was groggy when he arose, and lasted out the round with difficulty.

In the last round Root hammered Gardner all over the ring and at the bell had him almost out. Gardner's seconds were compelled to carry him to his corner and worked over him for nearly ten minutes before he was able to walk out of the ring.

FOUGHT A DRAW.

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., May 3.—George Ashley and Tommy King of Fall River fought a fierce 15-round battle to a draw here last night, and Guy Ashley and Peter Sullivan of Fall River also went 15 rounds. Sullivan got the decision after punishing his opponent severely.

BELL SAVED SIDNEY.

LEOMINSTER, May 3.—There were not enough persons at the McCloskey-Sidney bout in Music hall last night to pay expenses, and the hall had to be passed for that purpose. The contestants, however, did their part to make the evening a success. Twelve spirited rounds were fought. Referee Charles Lynch of Boston declared the bout a draw.

In the 12th round Sydney showed up groggy, and only the bell saved him. McCloskey repeatedly landed body blows, and knocked Sidney through the ropes.

RAUSCH WHIPS HAUGH.

PEORIA, Ill., May 3.—Morris Rausch of Chicago last night was awarded the decision over Maxey Haugh of Brooklyn at the end of a 10-round bout before the Riverside A. C.

ENGLISH BOXER WHIPPED.

LONDON, May 3.—In a 10-round contest at Whitechapel, last night, Jack Clancy of San Francisco defeated Peter Brown of Woolwich for the 144-round championship and a purse of $1250.

THE PANAMA DEAL

Has Been Wound up by J. P. Morgan

PARIS, May 3—Having wound up the details of the big financial transaction connected with the Panama transfer, J. Pierpont Morgan left Paris today for Aix Les Bains. Before his departure he gave the correspondent of the Associated Press the main points of the final agreement as follows:

"The Panama canal company wished to have the money turned over in Paris instead of in the United States and was willing to pay all the expenses incident to the payment here. In order to accomplish this the United States has appointed the Morgan company fiscal agents for the purpose of payment, the Morgan company in turn to make a contract with the Panama company whereby the $40,000,000 will be paid in Paris. The contract specifies the Banque de France as depository and also the proportion of the payments going to the old and the new Panama companies respectively. The signing of this contract closes the transaction. It only remaining for the Morgan company to carry it out by making payments from time to time to the Banque de France. This will be done so as to cause no disarrangement of the American or French money markets. The report that a syndicate of Paris bankers is interested is incorrect. The appointment of the Morgan company as fiscal agents places the whole transaction in their hands. They will associate with Lazard Freres and other houses of a similar character in New York and here, but so far as the United States is concerned it entrusts the financing operation to the Morgans. The other details correspond with those foreshadowed in those dispatches April 29."

DISASTROUS FIRE

The Loss Will Amount to $300,000

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., May 3.—Fire at the union stock yards early today caused a loss of $300,000 to the Belt railroad and Union Stock Yards company. The insurance is $100,000. Thirty head of cattle were burned and 40 acres of cattle sheds and live stock were totally destroyed together with about 500 tons of hay and 10,000 bushels of corn.

When the fire was discovered about 600 head of cattle were in the yards and a large force of cattle men at once began the work of rescuing them. Twenty-five engines from the Belt railway were sent into the yards to haul the 350 cattle cars to a place of safety which with the exception of 25 that were partly burned, they succeeded in doing.

President Haugh of the Belt railroad and Union Stock Yards company said the loss would in no way interfere with the operations of the yard. After the fire had been brought under control flames fanned by a stiff breeze spread to another quarter of the yards and for a time the stock yards hotel was threatened.

THE "LINE" STORE

MOVE TO HAVE IT WIPED OUT.

HOULTON, Me., May. 3.—A movement is in progress in eastern Maine which has for its object the wiping out of the so-called "line store" on the Canadian boundary. A petition is being circulated throughout this region calling upon the secretary of the treasury at Washington to take some action. It is claimed that numerous places of business which rest on the boundary engage in liquor selling and that in some of them smuggling is carried ons The petition says:

"These buildings are located partly in the state of Maine and partly in New Brunswick and so located that it is impossible to tell whether sales of liquor are made in the one country or in the other.

"We have no doubt that these stores are also utilized for the purpose of smuggling goods across the border. We have been informed that the existence of such buildings on the boundary line is in contravention of United States law or the provisions of the treaty between the United States and Great Britain. If this be true we respectfully request that some active measure be adopted for the removal of these nuisances on our eastern border."

It is more profitable to advertise honorably and fail in the attempt to get business, than to advertise dishonorably and succeed for a little while.

NEW STAMPS OUT

IN HONOR OF THE ST. LOUIS EXPOSITION.

The special series of stamps in five denominations to commemorate the Louisiana Purchase of 1803 and known as the Commemorative Series of 1904, have been issued by the United States postal department and were placed on sale at the local post office this morning. They will be on sale during the term of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition now going on at St. Louis, but will not be sold after the 31st of November, the closing day of the exposition.

The five denominations are the one, two, three, five and ten cent, and the stamps are practically the same size as those issued during the Buffalo Exposition, the dimensions being 1⅝ by 1 inch.

The one cent stamp is green and has the portrait of Robert R. Livingston, United States minister to France, who conducted the negotiations for the Louisiana Purchase.

The two cent stamp is red and has the head of Thomas Jefferson, president of the United States at the time of the purchase.

The three cent stamp is purple and has James Monroe's picture, he being the special ambassador to France in the matter of the purchase who with Livingston closed the negotiations.

The five cent stamp is blue and has the head of William McKinley, who as president of the United States approved the acts of congress officially connecting the United States government with the Commemorative exposition.

The ten cent stamp is brown and has a United States map of the territory included in the purchase.

These stamps will not be issued in book form.

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CARROLL BROS.
Tel. 640. 36 Middle St.

FOR ONE DOLLAR
you can get more advertising and a wider distribution throughout the city and suburbs in The Sun than you can get for three dollars in all the other papers in Lowell. Why? Because The Sun has a larger circulation than all the other daily papers combined. It is
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A. G. POLLARD & CO.

We Give the Dark Blue Trading Stamps

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—OF—
GOOD LINENS

Our Usual Spring Offerings Are Better Than Ever, Much Better!

Manufacturers, Jobbers, Importers and Ourselves all take losses to make these values the best you've ever seen.

DAMASKS

FOR 98c A YARD—6 pieces of the well-known Silver-bleached Damask, full 72 in. wide, with satin face, was $1.25 a yard.
FOR 98c A YARD—10 pieces full bleached Damask, Brown's Irish Linen and heavy Scotch Damask, was $1.25 and $1.39.
FOR 89c A YARD—5 pieces of the original Silver-Bleached Damask, regular price $1.25.
FOR 89c A YARD—4 pieces Brown's fine Irish Damask, full bleached, was $1.10 a yard.
FOR 79c A YARD—3 pieces heavy half-bleached Damask, was 98c a yard.
FOR 49c A YARD—Only one piece of Silver-bleached, usually 62½c a yard.
FOR 39c A YARD—7 full-bleached Damask, regular price 50c.
FOR 29c A YARD—2 pieces of unbleached Damask, regular price 39c.
FOR 37½c A YARD—2 pieces Bates' Turkey Red Damask, regular price 50c

NAPKINS

100 dozen All Linen Napkins, were $1.25, only....89c A DOZEN
50 dozen All Linen Napkins, were $1.50, only....$1.25 A DOZEN
40 dozen All Linen Napkins, were $2.00, only....$1.50 A DOZEN
125 dozen All Linen Napkins, were $2.50, only....$2.00 A DOZEN
63 dozen slightly soiled Napkins, were $4.00, only.... $2.75
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40 dozen fine Irish Linen Napkins, were $4.00, only....$2.98 A DOZEN

TOWELS

1000 dozen Huck Towels, worth 12½c each....3 FOR 25c
150 Absorbent Bath Towels, worth 19c each....3 FOR 25c
All of our fine 39c Towels, Damask and Huck, only....25c EACH
All of our 75c fine Huckabuck Towels, only....50c EACH

TRAY CLOTHS

All of our 25c grade, hemstitched and hemmed, only....19c EACH
The 39c ones reduced to.... 29c
The 75c ones reduced to.... 50c

BUREAU SCARFS

100 dozen All Linen Damask, were 50c....29c EACH
40 dozen All Linen Damask, were 65c....39c EACH
50 dozen All Linen Damask, were 75c....49c EACH

Great Values in Hemstitched Table Sets for Wedding Gifts
SEE PALMER STREET WINDOWS.
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Wonders of the World's Fair

Marvelous Things Which Reveal the Progress of the World In All Lines of Effort—Mammoth Power Plant Replete With Novelties—Areas Equivalent to Farms Under Roof—Outdoor Displays of Many Kinds

By MARK BENNITT.

SOMETHING will be doing in the Palace of Machinery at the World's Fair—something doing all the time. Never has the world seen such an assemblage of machines, never such an installation of power generators.

With one glance the visitor may see in operation machines which develop power equal to that of over 50,000 horses, all pulling together.

This palace is but one of the thousand structures that make up this greatest of world's expositions. There are more than twenty important exhibit buildings. The Palace of Agriculture covers twenty acres, the equivalent of a farm under roof. You can walk up and down aisles for miles without recrossing your path and learn a new lesson about agriculture with every step.

Other buildings range from eight to fifteen acres each. The four pavilions of the Palace of Art contain a total of 135 galleries, in which will be found the art treasures of every country of the world in which art has made creditable progress.

The Palace of Transportation contains the automobile display, the automobile boats of high speed and other marine craft. The railway display has four miles of display tracks within the building. A monster locomotive with drivers flying at eighty miles an hour will occupy a moving turntable in the center of the building.

Two buildings of fourteen acres each are given up to manufactures. The United States government has an imposing palace on a hillside. It is 800 feet long and is filled with departmental exhibits. A half section of a man-of-war is one of the many features. The government Indian exhibit and fisheries exhibit occupy other buildings. Many acres are occupied with outdoor exhibits.

Fifty nations of the world and fifty states and territories of the United States are active participants in the great exposition. Magnificent buildings on every hand give outward expression of their presence, and in many palaces are the displays of natural and manufactured products from lands far and near.

It but mildly tells the story when one says the Pike is more than a mile long, for in that measured length are immeasurable possibilities for pleasure of most novel kind. There are trips to the most wonderful places and back again in a twinkling. There are delightful mysteries and thrilling scenes, villages and streets from many nations, scientific wonders and spectacular shows.

But let's go back to the Palace of Machinery and the power plant. Alluring things are everywhere, but the power plant is a marvelous thing if we but study its details. The palace is 1,000 feet long, equal to three or four city blocks, and 500 feet wide. It covers ten acres. The power generators are in the western part of the building and receive their steam from a huge boiler plant in another great building nearby. These engines require the equivalent of 400 tons of coal per day to supply the steam.

The public has never seen a steam turbine, the dream of mechanicians since the first application of the force of steam.

The dream has come true. Thought and experiment have won at last the success that has baffled many an inventor now dead.

So recent is the invention of the successful steam turbine that no exposition has before offered an opportunity for its public display.

At the World's Fair in St. Louis we shall see, not one, but three, types of successful steam turbines, all of them related, yet as inventions they are quite distinct.

The start was right, for the first experimental steam engine, invented by James Watt, was a rotary. Yet, always destined to do the wrong thing first, inventors produced a reciprocating engine, with all its multiplicity of parts, and have given their attention since the time of Watt to perfecting the piston engine.

The inventors of rotary or turbine engines through the several generations since the era of Watt have been regarded by their fellows as madhouse candidates and chased with the seekers after perpetual motion. But the idea would never down. Hope has sprung eternally in the inventor's breast, and the power using world may be mighty thankful that it has.

The tyro in mechanics needs not to be told that a rotary engine is the ideal type. The thought is as common as that wheels are better than runners on bare ground. But how to get equal efficiency from steam pressure in the rotary movement as compared with the back and forth action of the common engine has been the apparently unsolvable problem. Its solution now marks an epoch in mechanics of little less importance than the original invention of a steam engine.

Perhaps we may attribute the cause of failure to a hundred things, but it seems to have been in the nonappreciation of the tremendous velocity of steam as it escapes from the boiler. It is all so easy to see now since some keener vision has discovered it that we must all, mechanics or what not, feel half ashamed of ourselves for not doing the trick when our tiny lives flowed in the blood of our ancestors.

When steam is released under pressure of 150 pounds to the square inch in the ordinary atmosphere it has a velocity of nearly 3,000 feet—almost three-fifths of a mile—per second. Projectiles from big cannon or Mauser rifles do not travel so fast. When steam under the same pressure is released into vacuum the velocity is over 4,000 feet per second. Here was the basic idea. To release live steam at such tremendous velocity against revolving parts of small diameter would now seem the height of folly, but inventors for nearly a hundred years haven't thought so. Waste of energy and inefficiency could be the only result. How easy to see it now!

Three inventors share the honor of making a successful steam turbine. They are entitled to a place in a list of honored names—Carl de Laval of Sweden, the Hon. Charles Algernon Parsons of England, C. G. Curtis of New York. Three countries share the distinction, and it is better thus, for this is no narrow world.

In the De Laval turbine the steam is discharged from the boiler through an expanding nozzle upon a set of vanes upon a single wheel. Good efficiency is secured, but the rotation of the wheel is so swift that its velocity is reduced ten to one before it is applicable to power uses. This is done by means of spiral cut gears.

The Parsons turbine is the one which is now in practical use on the English channel propelling the steamer Queen, a vessel 310 feet long, at twenty-three knots per hour. The machinery of the Queen consists of three turbines fitted to three lines of shafting, terminating in propellers. At the ordinary steaming speed of the Queen the revolutions of the center shaft are about 700 and of the two side shafts about 500 per minute. Owing to the high velocity the propellers are necessarily of small diameter. The center turbine is under high pressure and the two side turbines low pressure.

Inside the exhaust end of each low pressure turbine cylinder are placed reversing turbines, into which steam may be let by side valves. These valves admit steam into the reversing turbines when it is desired to go astern. When the steamer is going forward the reversing turbines revolve idly in a vacuum.

In the Parsons turbine the steam is carried between a succession of internal revolving cylinders and external stationary cylinder. Both the internal and external surfaces of these cylinders are equipped with circles of vanes and blades so arranged that the steam passes alternately through rows of moving and stationary blades. The impact of the steam is deflected from the stationary to the moving blades and imparts the movement to the cylinders fixed upon the shaft. The turbine engines take but little space as compared with ordinary engines, and the noise is like that of a rapid running dynamo. The absence of the unpleasant vibrations common to steamers having a reciprocating engine is at once noticeable. The Parsons turbine exhibited at the World's Fair is a 5,000 horsepower engine and was made at Pittsburg.

In the Curtis turbine the inventor has profited by the experience of his predecessors. The first patent by Mr. Curtis for the protection of his ideas in the construction of the steam turbine was issued nine years ago—in 1896. The development has been going on since that time.

The engine for the World's Fair power plant is an 8,000 horsepower turbine, with an electric generator direct attached, the most powerful engine ever built for any purpose, and is guaranteed to deliver as high as 12,000 horsepower, or the equivalent of the entire amount of power used at the Columbian exposition at Chicago ten years ago.

The construction of the Curtis turbine is in some respects similar to that of the Parsons, with the very important difference that the inventor has vastly enlarged the diameter of the revolving parts. The revolving mechanism of the Curtis engine consists of a series of disks strung upon a shaft. These disks alternate with fixed disks attached to the inner surface of the cylinder in which the parts revolve. The steam is admitted through a series of expanding nozzles around the entire circumference of the revolving disks.

The entire outer edge of each disk is made up of concave blades or paddles. The steam is admitted obliquely in the direction which the disks are intended to turn. The force of the steam at its tremendous velocity thus strikes the blades throughout the circumference of the wheel. Resistance throws the steam from the first set of concave blades back against the second set of reversed but fixed concave blades. From this set of fixed blades it is again deflected forward against moving blades, zigzagging its way through to the end of the series until it is finally released into a vacuum, where it is condensed.

There may be as many blade disks as necessary to use almost the entire efficiency of the steam. As no oil enters the steam chamber the condensed steam is in a condition to be returned immediately to the boiler.

The noteworthy advantages claimed for the turbine engine over the reciprocating type are in the fewer parts, the absence of vibration, the less likelihood of breakage, the lighter foundations, the need of less floor space and the far greater economy of construction and material. A reciprocating engine is claimed to be eight times heavier than the new type of turbine of the same power.

Engineers tell us we are on the eve of a tremendous revolution in the use of steam power. It has been estimated that large users of steam power may with economy throw away their present equipment and install the steam turbines, in three years saving in cost of fuel and attendance the entire expense of the change.

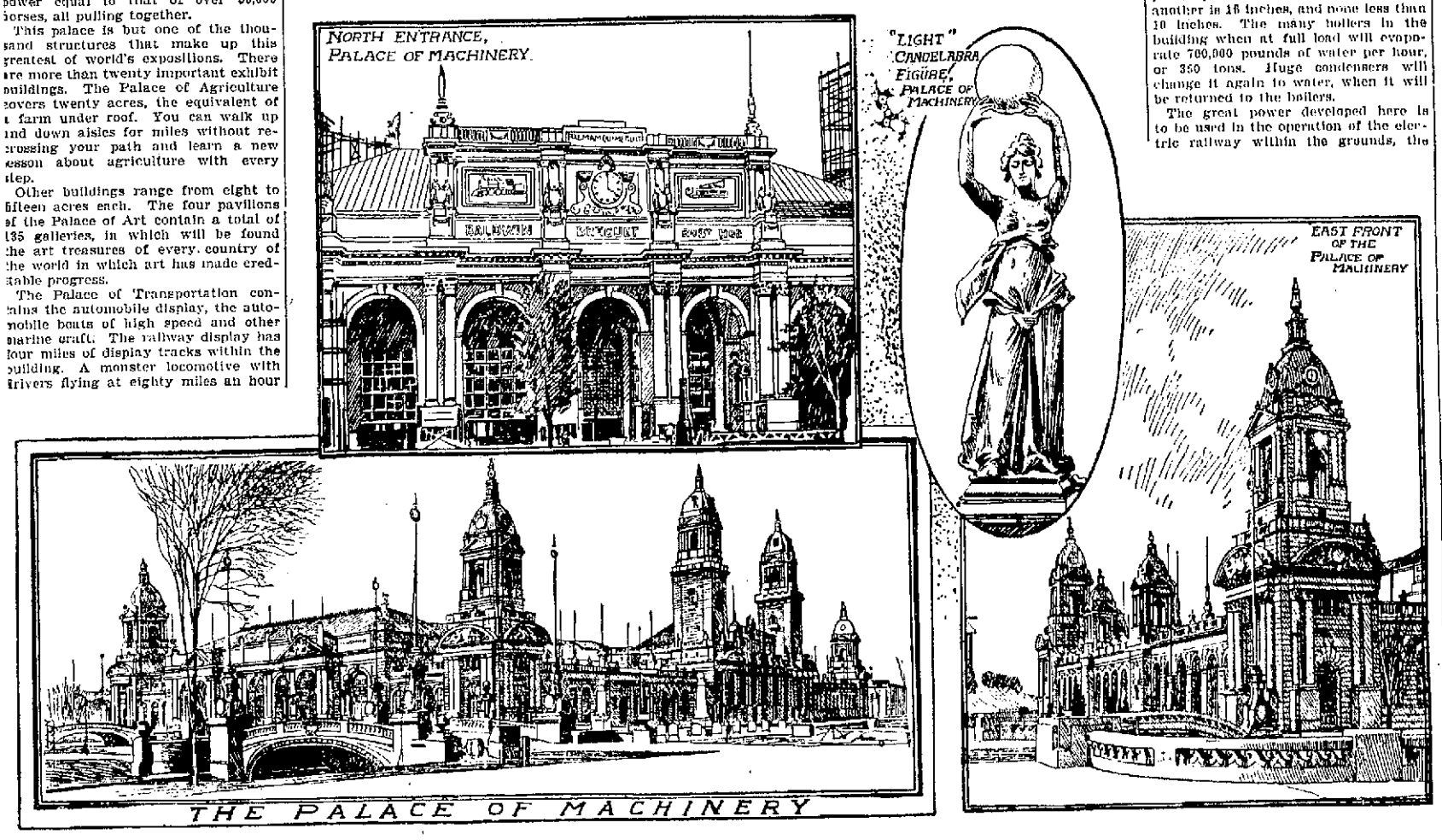
If such promises hold good it is not unlikely that we shall see a revival of river commerce made possible by the greater speed and economy in the operation of river boats. The statement may also apply to the inland lakes and coastwise traffic. Aside from the Curtis turbine, the largest engine in the 50,000 horsepower plant is the Allis-Chalmers reciprocating engine of 5,000 horsepower, valued at $150,000. One needs to recall the great Corliss engine which attracted such worldwide attention at the Philadelphia Centennial exposition. That ponderous engine never developed to exceed 300 horsepower. The Allis-Chalmers engine is equivalent to nearly eighteen of the Corliss generators. The construction of this largest of reciprocating engines differs from those familiar to most eyes in the fact that it is both a vertical and horizontal engine, having two pistons acting upon the same crank.

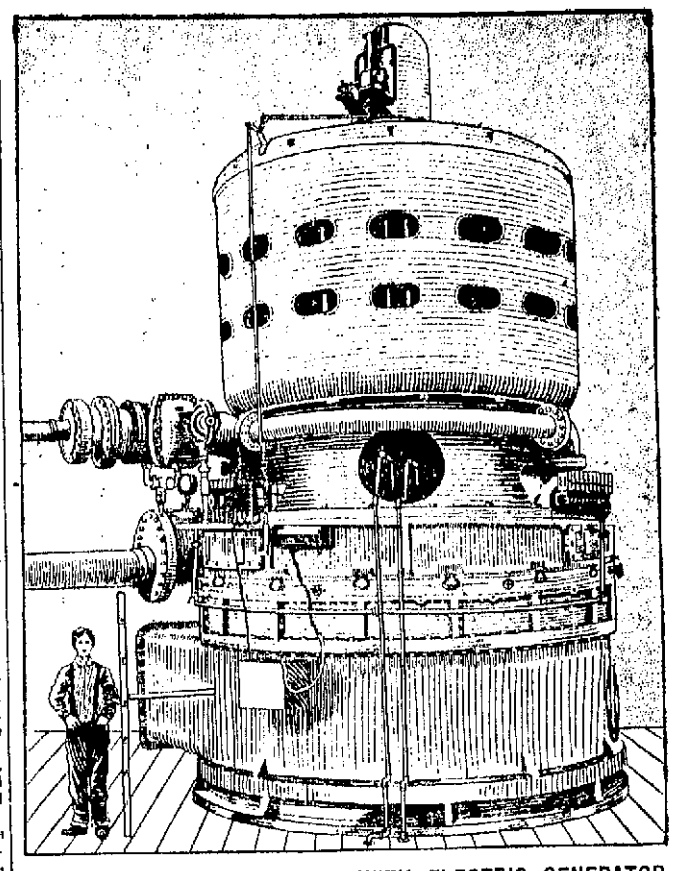
Other noteworthy engines in the great power plant are a 1,750 horsepower engine from Tedel, Germany; a 600 horsepower high speed engine from Harrisburg, Pa.; a 750 horsepower medium speed steam engine from Cincinnati, O.; a 1,000 horsepower slow speed steam engine from Burlington, Ia.; four 3,000 horsepower reciprocating steam engines, with generators, from Pittsburg; three 80 horsepower exciter sets, and many other engines of smaller rating.

The Steam, Gas and Fuels building is a fireproof structure 330 feet long by 300 feet wide a short distance west of the Palace of Machinery. A tunnel 17 feet broad by 8 feet deep connects the two buildings. One of the steam pipes conveying steam to the engines of the power plant is 18 inches in diameter, another is 16 inches, and none less than 10 inches. The many boilers in the building when at full load will evaporate 700,000 pounds of water per hour, or 350 tons. Huge condensers will change it again to water, when it will be returned to the boilers.

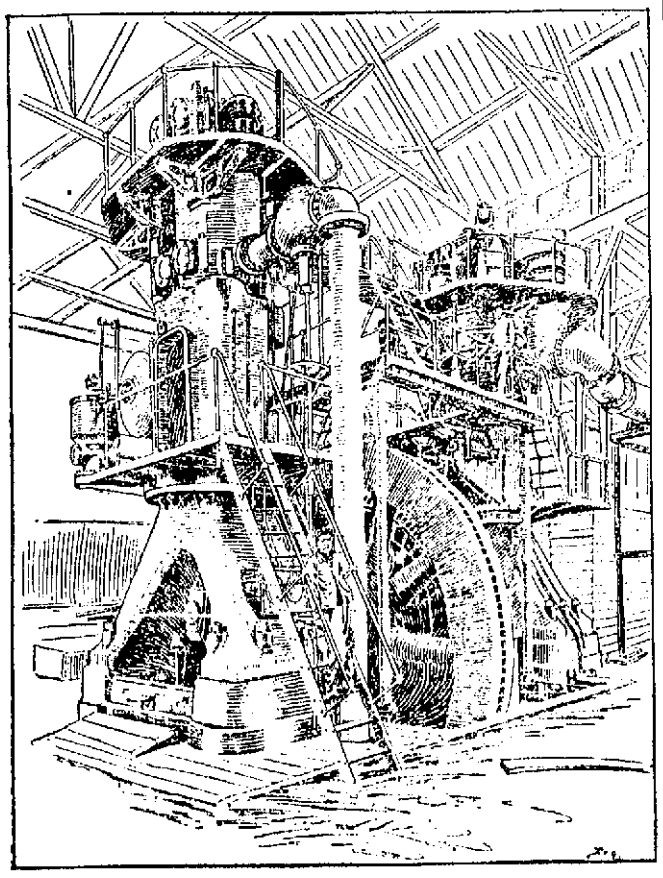
The great power developed here is to be used in the operation of the electric railway within the grounds, the pumping of water and the illumination of the grounds and buildings.

The value of the exhibits in the Palace of Machinery alone will exceed $8,000,000, while the cost of the exposition, exclusive of exhibits, is estimated at $50,000,000.

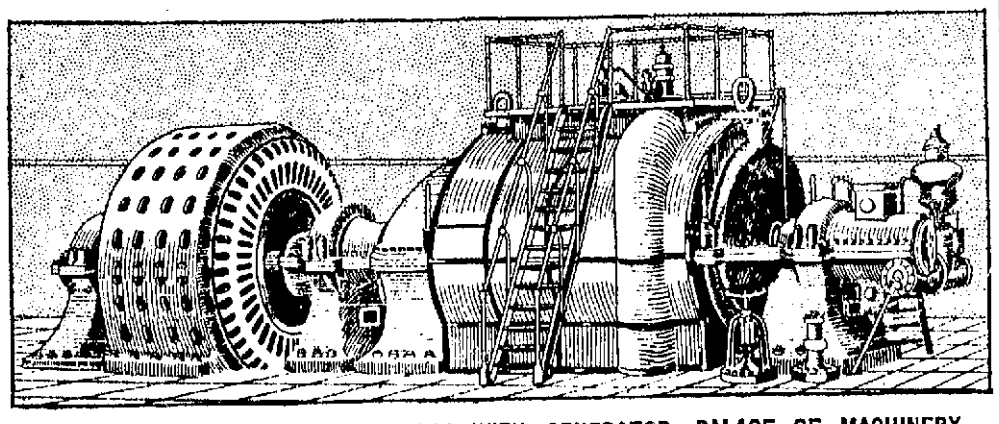




THE CURTIS STEAM TURBINE WITH ELECTRIC GENERATOR, 8,000 HORSEPOWER, PALACE OF MACHINERY.



ONE OF THE FOUR 3,000 HORSEPOWER WESTINGHOUSE GENERATORS, PALACE OF MACHINERY.



5,500 KW. PARSONS STEAM TURBINE WITH GENERATOR, PALACE OF MACHINERY.

MEDALLIONS FOR ART PALACE

Twenty-two Famous Personages Represented In the Adornment of This World's Fair Building.

The permanent portion of the great Art Palace at the Louisiana Purchase Exposition has twenty-two medallions in limestone of famous personages in the history of art. Beginning with Phidias, they run down the line through Michael Angelo, Raphael, Rembrandt, Rubens and other masters of centuries ago, concluding with John La Farge and Augustus St. Gaudens, representing modern art.

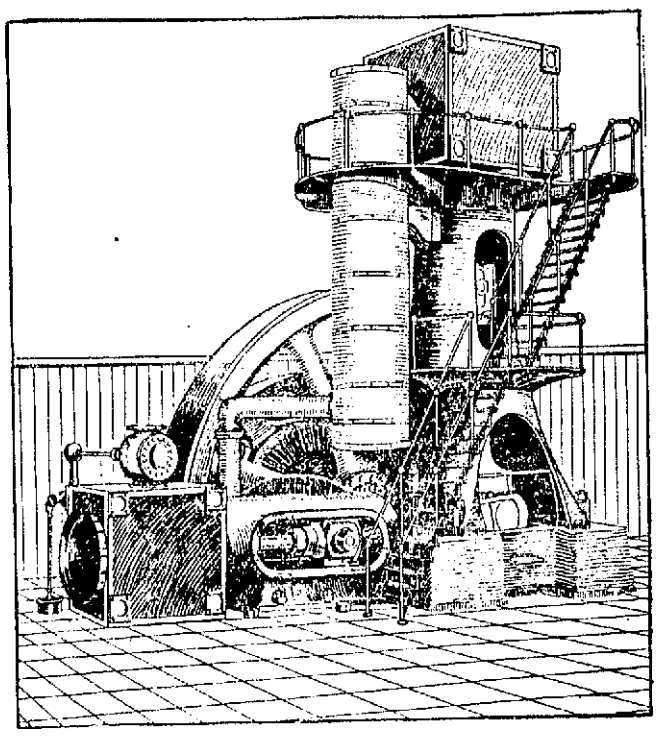
Comment will no doubt be occasioned by the selection of two artists still living for this series, but it was thought fitting that these two men, standing at the head of their respective professions, should be chosen for such honors in the decoration of the building.

Mr. George T. Brewster, the New York sculptor, modeled eleven of these medallions. A full list of the twenty-two medallions is as follows:

Phidias, Ictinus, Botticelli, Giotto, Michael Angelo, Raphael, Palladio, Leonardo da Vinci, Brunelleschi, Donatello, Titian, Della Robbia, Bramante, Durer, Holbein, Rembrandt, Rubens, Velasquez, Cellini, Charles Garnier, Augustus St. Gaudens, John La Farge.

Mr. Brewster's work includes Botticelli, Michael Angelo, Raphael, Titian, Durer, Holbein, Rembrandt, Augustus St. Gaudens and John La Farge. This sculptor also made spandrels of much merit for the Manufactures building.

Mr. Brewster was born in Kingston, Mass., in 1862. He spent three years in Paris at the Beaux Arts and in the ateliers of Dumont and Mercie, and on returning to this country he established a studio in New York city. He has been successful as an instructor in art, having founded the modeling class of the Art Students' league and being now instructor in sculpture at Cooper Union. One of the best sculptural compositions at the Pan-American Exposition, the Fountain of Nature, in the West Esplanade, was the work of Mr. Brewster. Among his works are the seal of the University club, New York; the figure of "Hope" on the new statehouse at Providence, R. I.; the group "Defense of the Flag" at Athens, Pa., and the bust of Judge George Petren Andrews of the New York supreme court.



ALLIS-CHALMERS ENGINE, PALACE OF MACHINERY.

IN THE MINING GULCH.

The Days of Forty-nine Brought Into Sharp Contrast With Those of the Present.

By CLAUDE H. WETMORE.

Methods in vogue in "forty-nine" and the methods of today are brought into contrast in the Mining Gulch at the World's Fair this year.

It is one of the unique features of this Exposition to have an outdoor display in addition to that which will be under roof in the Mines and Metallurgy building. Heretofore at such centennial celebrations the exhibits have been confined to samples of ores and to a still life display of the machinery with which the precious metals are taken from the ground.

But, following the keynote "revealment of processes," those who planned the great enterprise at St. Louis decided that the best lesson would be that taught by such machinery seen in active operation. Therefore the Mining Gulch and its many interesting sights were evolved.

First in point of time and in sympathy with many of the visitors is the placer camp, where is shown the manner of washing gravel for precious bits of gold in the days when John W. Mackay and his associates were making fortunes from the soil. Near at hand are replicas of the cabins in which these men lived during the weary months of their early struggles.

Further along the visitors see the ore crushers of the present time, which work with almost human intelligence. They not only reduce the rock to a dust, but separate the dross from the flecks of value.

Gliding up and down an incline is an electric motor, exemplifying the method now in vogue of quickly transporting dump cars, while the latest models of these automatic vehicles are shown in active use. And so, along an overhead trolley, swing buckets, bearing burdens to dump heaps and to machines that stand with open maws, ready to crush out the finer substances.

One hears the chug, chug, chug, of the oil derrick and observes the working of the long arms that are thrust into the bowels of Mother Earth to bring above ground the precious liquid mineral that has become such a factor in commerce.

Near at hand is a coal mine, a natural vein having been found on the Fair site and made a portion of the exhibit.

How a mine is timbered, how pumps are worked so as to prevent flooding, how shafts are constructed, how tramways go down into the blackness—all these are shown to the observers.

And here is a little train that burrows into the ground. Its engineer—or, rather, its motorman, for electricity is the motive power—wears a miner's light on his cap. All aboard! And away the open cars move—down, down, down, into the mine! On the way you are shown the walls of the subterranean passage, and it is explained how they are constructed to withstand pressure. You see miners at work with pick and shovel; you observe the little freight cars that carry the product of these men's labor to the surface. On that journey another man, wearing a light in his cap, is your guide and tells all that you wish to know concerning the mysteries of the life beneath the surface. In the far end many lights glimmer, and you are pleasantly surprised to see a restaurant, the waiters in which also have miners' lamps in their caps. You can stop there and rest if you desire and partake of underground fare or you can return in the little train and reach the surface once more.

LARGEST ORGAN IN THE WORLD.

The completion of the largest pipe organ ever built has been announced. It is a special exhibit for the World's Fair and occupies a large room specially built to contain it in the Festival Hall. The organ has 145 stops. There are 10,000 pipes some of which are five feet square.

TRAINS TO AND FROM BOSTON

SOUTHERN DIV.

To Boston. Lve.	To Boston. Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	From Boston. Arr.
5.48	6.50	6.00	7.04
6.22	7.40	6.30	7.26
e6.30	7.30	7.15	8.05
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e7.01	8.02	e9.00	9.57
e7.24	8.10	e10.00	10.37
s7.31	8.50	a10.17	11.34
7.45	8.35	e11.50	12.07
8.50	9.40	12.50	12.56
9.40	10.40	e1.50	1.37
11.00	12.02	2.00	3.01
a11.43	12.22	e3.00	3.37
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4.25	5.30	6.14	7.30
e5.22	6.15	e7.30	8.08
s5.44	7.00	e8.30	9.08
e6.22	7.05	10.30	11.34
e7.39	8.10	11.20	12.22

SUNDAY TRAINS

To Boston. Lve.	To Boston. Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	From Boston. Arr.
e8.38	7.30	9.00	10.00
e7.24	8.10	1.00	1.57
8.45	9.43	5.00	5.58
s9.30	10.15	e7.30	8.08
e4.25	5.30	e8.30	9.08
e5.39	7.00	9.00	10.02

WESTERN DIV.

To Boston. Lve.	To Boston. Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	From Boston. Arr.
8.50	9.00	7.00	8.34
9.00	9.54	9.25	10.52
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10.50	12.00	11.50	1.08
12.05	1.32	2.15	3.19
12.45	1.57	3.35	4.55
2.30	3.35	4.09	5.50
3.10	4.10	6.01	7.05
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SUNDAY TRAINS

To Boston. Lve.	To Boston. Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	From Boston. Arr.
6.15	9.27	8.00	9.17
12.05	1.24	12.00	1.02
4.05	5.18	5.00	6.27
5.30	6.55		
8.00	9.05		

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NOW FOR BARGAINS.

Next week we make a change in our business. Commencing Wednesday, May 4th, we will dispose of many lines of goods to make room for the new display. It will be the finest in Lowell. If you want a new dress, attend this sale. If you want laces, attend this sale. If you want small wares, attend this sale. All goods reduced this week. J. S. Banford Co., 195 Merrimack street.

LACE OPERATIVES MET.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., May 3—The chartered organizations of the Amalgamated Lace Operatives of America met here yesterday in their first session of their annual convention.

The organization has within its ranks about 90 per cent. of the lace workers of the country. Delegates are in attendance from Philadelphia, Scranton, Chester, Pa.; Tariffville, Conn.; Pawtucket, R. I.; Newburgh, N. Y., and New York city.

New officers were elected for the coming year as follows: General president, George Hamill of Philadelphia; general secretary, M. F. Sullivan, Philadelphia; general treasurer, Joseph Ward, Philadelphia.

MR. SPARKS AGAIN

To Try His Luck in the Congressional Fight

A Boston paper has the following:

The Hon. John T. Sparks, of Dracut, who has been figuring as a possible candidate for the democratic congressional nomination in the 5th district, came out into the open yesterday and announced himself as positively a candidate. He was a caller at the State House, where he met many of his former associates in the legislature.

Mr. Sparks secured the nomination two years ago, after a bitter contest with Alexander B. Bruce of Lawrence, Mr. Bruce carrying the fight to the ballot law commission upon the validity of the action of the nominating convention in which Senator Sparks won. The commission decided in Mr. Sparks' favor, but the animosities engendered destroyed what hope the democrats had of defeating the republican, Butler Ames, and the latter was elected with a plurality of 852. The situation was somewhat confused then and probably will be again by the fact that candidate Sparks has a brother, a prominent Lowell physician, who is a republican and has been identified with Congressman Ames' personal machine.

A Startling Test.

To save a life Dr. T. G. Merritt of No. Mehoopany, Pa., made a startling test resulting in a wonderful cure. He writes, "A patient was attacked with violent hemorrhages, caused by ulceration of the stomach. I had often found Electric Bitters excellent for acute stomach and liver troubles so I prescribed them. The patient gained from the first and has not had an attack in 11 months." Electric Bitters are positively guaranteed for Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Constipation and Kidney Troubles. Try them. Only 50c at Goodale's Drug Store, 257 Central street, Lowell.

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MAY BE IN LOWELL

Woman is Searching for Her Husband

BOSTON, May 3—In the lodging house at 363 Tremont street, Mrs. Charles E. Severance, heartbroken, is awaiting the return of her husband, who has been reported to the police as having been seen in Haverhill last Saturday, after his several days' wanderings from his home in this city.

Mrs. Severance said last night that her husband had recently been much upset. Mr. Severance has been mentally buying lodging houses and moneyed tenements for mythical lodgers.

He has also during the past four months bought restaurants and fruit stores by the dozen.

Mrs. Severance said that all of her savings had gone to her husband's desire to consult fortune tellers and other women to whom he had rented their former lodging house at 711 Tremont street before they moved to the present home at 363 Tremont street.

Mrs. Severance says that her husband wanders around the state, buying and selling houses, restaurants and furniture in which he cannot have any monetary interest nor any equity, but is imbued with the idea that he may become the king of the lodging house keepers of the state.

Strange and most mysterious telegrams and notes have been received from the missing man by Mrs. Severance since he left home two weeks ago, and the latest was to the effect that he intended to return on April 30, and in which he said: "I was lost; was found by the postmaster; will be home on April 30 to have supper, when ready."

This note was sent to his wife, written on the blank of one of the Haverhill express companies, and has led her to believe that Mr. Severance is roaming about in the vicinity of Haverhill, Lawrence or Lowell, where he has relatives.

TRIED FOR MURDER

Accused Woman Will Take the Witness Stand

DOVER, N.H., May 3.—The real fight for the life of Mrs. Mary Ann Powell began today. Attorney-General Ward called the state's witnesses in rapid order to prove that the prisoner had wantonly and brutally murdered Essie Albin on Feb. 9 because of jealousy.

The first few witnesses were dismissed without lengthy cross-examination by the defending attorneys. Formal establishment of the girl's death was made, the location of the Powell farmhouse near Bowers Beach was established and diagrams of the building and rooms were shown. Still but keenly alive to every move and question of the attorneys, Mrs. Powell sat in the dock.

As Sheriff Riley Melvin brought Mrs. Powell in the courtroom her husband, Alfred Powell, addressed a few words to her but she passed on without replying. The sheriff said his charge passed a restful night although she said she was beginning to feel worried last evening after the first day in court.

It was stated today that Mrs. Powell will be placed on the stand but the line of defence has not been announced by her counsel.

FAMINE IN BREAD

May Result From the Bakers Strike in Boston

BOSTON, May 3.—In consequence of the action of a large number of the smaller bakeries in signing the new working schedule, from three to four hundred bakers of the 900 who struck in this city yesterday, returned today to their places. About 40 of the smaller concerns now have signed the new schedule and the bakers' unions expect that a majority of the 90 small concerns yet to be heard from will consent to the demands of the men. The contest then will be with the master baker association including the three or four large bakeries in the Boston district.

A. O. Cullymeyer, manager of No. 4, said today that inasmuch as the largest bakers are practically tied up, about 50 per cent. of the bread output has been discontinued. He expressed the opinion that unless a settlement was reached a bread famine would soon develop.

MR. D. W. BUGBEE

Appointed Asst. Superintendent of Sewers

HIS APPOINTMENT HOWEVER IS PROVISIONAL

As Position Comes Under Civil Service

Supt. Beals today provisionally appointed Daniel W. Bugbee to the position of assistant superintendent of sewers to succeed the late Ether S. Foss, recently deceased.

While the position is listed under the civil service there is no eligible list at present, and an examination will be necessary. Mr. Bugbee will take the examination when it comes as will several others who are after the job.

Mr. Bugbee is the well known republican city committeeman, formerly of ward seven but now of ward eight. He conducted the Howe campaign last fall and at one time was mentioned for police commissioner though the mention was brief. Mayor Howe intended to appoint him superintendent of cemeteries when John L. Stevens got out of the office of cemetery trustee, but as yet Mr. Stevens is still holding over as the board of aldermen have never confirmed his successor, and as long as Messrs. Stevens and Mountford remain in office the present superintendent, Mr. Wotton, bids fair to stay there.

The office of assistant superintendent of sewers pays $1400 per year or $200 more than the position of superintendent of cemeteries. Mr. Bugbee, the provisional appointee, was for many years an overseer in the Tremont & Suffolk, and is well known and liked among the mill operatives.

ADVERSE REPORT

ON RESOLVE TO PROVIDE ANNUITY FOR TOMMY DIXON.

Among the committee reports received in the lower branch of the legislature yesterday was: Ways and means, ought not to pass, on the resolve providing for the payment to the overseers of the poor of the city of

TOMMY DIXON.

Lowell for five years of an annuity of $300, for the benefit of Thomas G. Dixon, who is totally blind through having been stabbed by a prisoner at the Concord reformatory in April, 1888.

SWINDLER'S WORK

New York Brokers Were Caught by Game

NEW YORK, May 3.—By representing himself as Colonel John D. Hewitt, president of the Buckeye Coal and Coke Co., of Bramwell, W. Va., director of the bank of Bramwell, a swindler has been operating in New York for two months, having drafts on Col. Hewitt's Philadelphia bank cashed and passed by that institution through New York brokers. Colonel Hewitt died more than six months ago.

The papers whereby the imposter was able to open an account for $10,000 with a large stock exchange house, negotiate for the purchase of a $50,000 residence in Brooklyn, live at a first-class hotel and enjoy himself generally, were stolen by the man from Col. Hewitt in Atlantic City where the West Virginian was endeavoring to recover his health.

When the swindler began to use his documents here he first visited the brokers and showed them a letter of credit on a Philadelphia bank made out to Col. Hewitt. The bank reported it all right and cashed a draft for $10,000 which was placed to the imposter's credit. He did not operate in stocks, however, and only drew occasionally on the account for a few dollars. Several weeks passed when suddenly the Philadelphia bank discovered its error through Col. Hewitt's son and notified the New York brokers. They informed their client and demanded an explanation. He quickly disappeared and the bank recovered its money.

The impostor is said to have used the same means elsewhere to secure financial standing.

LEAKING BADLY

STEAMSHIP AND SCHOONER WERE IN COLLISION.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., May 3.—The Standard Oil steamship Hudson, from Philadelphia for Singapore, and the schooner T. Charleton Henry from Baltimore for Boston were in collision 80 miles off Cape Henlopen last night. The collision occurred during a dense fog. The steamship had her bows stove in and Capt. Burnett was compelled to jettison some of the cargo from the forehold between decks in order to raise the bow of the Hudson. The Henry is leaking badly.

ON SHORT TIME

CURTAILMENT IN MILLS IN WARE.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., May 3.—Agent George E. Tucker, of the Otis Manufacturing Co., of Ware, announces that beginning this week, Nos. 1, 2 and 4 mills will be operated four days a week for the present. The curtailment affects the cotton department, but the underwear mill will run on full time. In the cotton mills 800 hands are affected. The Otis cotton mill at Palmer will also run four days weekly.

About 8000 cotton operatives in this section of the state are now on short time. They are employed by the Otis company, Thorndike mills at Palmer and West Warren, Boston Duck Co., Bondville, and the Dwight & Chicopee companies of Chicopee.

BOSTON & MAINE R. R.

Corrected to October 12, 1903. Trains leave Merrimack street depot, Lowell, as follows:

For Boston, 5.43, 6.22, x6.42, *7.45, *8.50, *9.40, 11.00 a. m.; 1.40, 4.25, x5.44 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.45 a. m.

Trains leave Middlesex street station, Lowell, as follows:

For Boston, 5.46, 6.28, *6.39, x6.45, w6.50, 7.01, *7.24, 7.31, *7.48, w*8.00, *8.57, w9.25, *9.50, w10.50, 11.05, *11.43 a. m.; w12.05, 12.14, w12.45, 1.44, *1.56, w2.30, x3.03, w*3.10, *3.47, w3.55, 4.25, w5.00, 5.22, x5.40, w*6.15, *6.22, w7.00, 7.20, w9.25 p. m. SUNDAYS, 6.30, 7.24, w8.15, 8.48, 9.30 a. m.; w12.05, w4.05, 4.25, w5.30, 6.58, w8.00 p. m.

For Lawrence, 5.28, w6.50, z7.31, w8.30, w9.25, w10.50 a. m.; w12.05, 1.28, w2.30, w3.55, w5.06, w6.15, w7.00, w8.25, w*11.25 p. m. Sundays, w8.18 a. m.; w12.05, w5.30 p. m.

For Salem, Mass., 7.31 a. m.; w12.05, 1.28, x3.50, n3.55, w5.06, 5.28 p. m.

For Haverhill, 6.28, 6.50, z7.31, 8.30, 9.25, 10.50 a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, w3.55, w5.06, 6.15, 7.00, 9.25, q11.25 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m.; 12.05, 5.30 p. m.

For Newburyport, Amesbury and Portsmouth, 6.28 a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, 3.55, 6.15 p. m.

For Exeter and Dover, 6.28, 6.50, z7.31, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, 3.55, 5.06 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Rochester and Alton Bay, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 3.55 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Somersworth, N. H., Saco, Old Orchard and Portland, 6.28, 6.50, z7.31, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 3.55 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Augusta, Bath, Waterville, 6.28, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 5.06 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Lewiston, 6.28, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 5.06 p. m.

For Skowhegan, 8.30 a. m.

For Bangor, 6.28, 8.30 a. m., 5.06 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Rockland, 8.30 a. m., 12.05 p. m.

For St. John, N. B., Halifax, N. S., 5.06 p. m. (5.06 does not run Saturdays.) SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Eastport and St. John (via steamer from Portland) on Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 12.05 p. m.

For Castine, Deer Isle, Sedgwick, Bar Harbor, Jonesport, Machiasport (via steamer Frank Jones from Portland,) Tuesday and Friday at 5.06 p. m.

Last trip of season Oct. 30, 1903.

For Woburn, 6.28, 7.01, *7.48, 11.07 a. m.; 1.44, 4.28 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.48 a. m.; 4.25, 5.45 p. m.

For Ayer Junction, Stations on W. N. & P. and Fitchburg divisions, 7.07, 11.55 a. m.; 5.01 and 5.42 p. m. SUNDAYS, 2.15 p. m.

For Stations on W. N. & P. division, Nashua to Portland, Me., 9.03 a. m.; (3.30 p. m. to Rochester only.)

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, 9.03 a. m.; 1.00, 3.40, 5.20 p. m. SUNDAYS, 2 p. m.

For Greenfield, Peterboro, Bennington, Hillsboro and Keene, 9.03 a. m.; 3.40 p. m. SUNDAYS, to Hillsboro, 2 p. m.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, 7.30, 9.03, 9.39, *10.39, a. m.; *12.00, 1.00, *1.39, 3.40, *5.20, 6.27, *8.10, *9.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 10.02 a. m.; 2.00, 6.02, *8.10, *9.10 p. m.

For Franklin, Lebanon, White River Junction, 7.30, *9.39 a. m.; *12.00, *1.39 (to Franklin only.) 5.40, *8.10 p. m.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport, (N. H.) Claremont and Charemont Junction, 7.30 a. m.; 1.39 p. m.

For Stations on White Mt. Division, 9.39, *10.39 a. m.; 1.39 p. m. (5.39 p. m. to Plymouth); *8.10, 9.21 p. m.

For St. Johnsbury and Lyndonville, via Wells River, *10.39 a. m.; *1.39, *8.10 p. m.

For Montpelier, Essex Junction, Burlington, St. Albans, St. Johns and Montreal via Central Vermont line, *9.39 a. m.; *12.00, *8.10 p. m.

For Montreal and Quebec, via Montreal and Boston Air Line, *10.39 a. m.; *9.10 p. m.

QUEBEC EXPRESS, via Plymouth and Sherbrooke, *10.39 a. m.; *9.10 p. m. (daily except Saturdays.

References:
aVia Wakefield Junction.
*Express. bDaily.
qWednesdays and Saturdays only.
wVia Western Division.
xVia Bedford. zVia Wilmington Junc.

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DRAGGED BY TRAIN

Walter Erwin Tells a Strange Story

OF ROBBERY BY COMPANIONS ON TRAIN

He Was Hurt in Following Them From Train

Walter Erwin, 22 residing at 149 Hudson street, Boston, was taken to St. John's hospital in the ambulance shortly after midnight this morning, suffering from a bad cut on the head, an injured back and probably internal injuries.

He claimed that while alighting from a train in South Lowell earlier in the evening, he fell and was dragged a considerable distance.

At first it was thought that his injuries were of a critical nature, but examination at the hospital brought out the fact that they were not as serious as were at first supposed. The injury to his head and back will not have any bad results, but he may have sustained internal injuries. The account of the accident and his travels were related at the police station, where he was taken before being sent to the hospital.

Erwin stated that he was on the train that reaches Lowell at 8.30 and was on his way from Boston into New Hampshire. He fell in, he said, with three men on the train, and played cards with them. They had liquor and he drank. The men got off the train at South Lowell and took with them his money and ticket. He followed them and in getting off the train he fell and was dragged along with the train for some distance. He made his way to the road and some man, who understood him to say that he lived in Wamesit street, brought him to the city and to Wamesit street. When it was discovered that the man did not live in Wamesit street, an officer who was passing was notified and the patrol was called to convey him to the police station.

Capt. Kew noted the condition of the man and at once ordered the ambulance called. He was taken to St. John's hospital. There it was found that there was a bad cut three inches long on the head, the back was badly scraped and there were many bruises on the body.

Upon arriving at the police station the man was minus one shoe, which had been torn off his foot and his clothing was badly torn and spattered with mud and blood. While the man claimed that he was on the 8.30 train it is probable that he was on a later one, as the 8.30 is an express and does not stop at any of the way stations. If he was on the 8.30 train as he claims he must either have jumped off or fallen off, but there is little doubt that his injuries would have been of a more serious nature if he had fallen from the swiftly moving train.

MAY BE FLOATED.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., May 3—The steamship Craigneuk, which stranded off South Brigantine on April 26 was moved 150 feet last night and it is thought she will be floated tonight. The sea is too rough to lighter the cargo of sugar and it is being thrown overboard.

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Joseph N. Tarte—And a sharp business man. Provisions, 71 Salem Street, adds his testimony as to the value of a Gas Range in the kitchen, and that after using one for two years. We ask his many customers when they go to his store to ask him for his opinion. What Mr. Tarte says, goes.

Mrs. George Blood—A woman who has successfully run a boarding house 20 years, and a woman who can do that in this town knows what's what. She isn't fooling with experiments in her kitchen, and what does she say? "Take away anything I've got, but leave that Gas Range." If you saw Mrs. Blood you would know why we consider her testimony of unusual value. Blood tells.

D. G. Hart—A Baker as is a Baker. He bakes as mother used to bake and his place of business is at 500 Merrimack Street. Speaking of his own home, where he has a Gas Range, he says: "We couldn't keep house without it." Undoubtedly he speaks from a baking standpoint. Could we possibly submit stronger evidence than this?

Mrs. L. T. Merrill—Is living in a model home at 298 Westford Street. She says her Gas Range is economical and indispensable—free from dirt and dust—cooks beautifully and requires the minimum of labor. Mrs. Merrill has told the whole story.

Henry A. Lemaitre—One of our French citizens, a Book-keeper at the establishment of P. Z. Hebert, Furniture, on Aiken Street. Mr. Lemaitre says of the cost of running a Gas Range: "It cost me double to run my kitchen fire with wood above what I now pay for my gas, to do all our cooking." The difference is the difference between $1.00 and $2.00. Worth saving these days, don't you think?

Mrs. Martha White—Lives in one of the old historic houses away up in the high numbers on Middlesex Street. Good old lady she is. There was no gas in the house. We put in a supply pipe so that she could have a Gas Range. Now she is happy and contented. Gets rid of lots of work, dirt and dust. We like to help the old folks. We had a mother once and we think of her at such times.

H. C. Brown—Does business at 36 Branch Street and lives at 23 Coral Street. Mr. Brown used to live at North Chelmsford. He was the first man to use a Gas Range in that village, and when he moved to Lowell the Gas Range came also. Same old story—could not live without it.

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